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## Bonn Rejects Russian Warning



Restaurant sign toppled by instant hurricane

### East Germans Squeeze Berlin

From UPI, AP

BONN — West German Chancellor Kurt-Georg Kiesinger has rejected a Soviet warning of "undesirable consequences" for West Berlin if presidential elections are held there as scheduled, State Secretary Guenter Diehl said Saturday.

#### Nixon Visit

Security,  
Dignity  
Pledged

BERLIN (AP) — Mayor Klaus Schöndt declared Saturday the dignity and security of President Nixon is guaranteed for his Feb. 27 visit to West Berlin.

The mayor gave this assurance in an interview with the newspaper Morgenpost on a day marked by further street demonstrations by the city's rambunctious New Left.

The leftist student leadership at the Technical University of Berlin called on students and young workers Friday to demonstrate against the U.S. chief executive when he shows up here on his European tour.

A U.S. presidential jet, a Boeing 707, practised landings at the mid-city Tempelhof airfield despite snowy weather. Witnesses said it touched down and rolled in three times.

Tempelhof is ringed by high apartment blocks and the runway of about 5,000 feet is shorter than those at the outlying Tegel airfield. But if Nixon could land safely at Tempelhof it would save time on his tight schedule.

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Kiesinger

#### Copters Downed

Battle  
Goes  
On

SAIGON (AP) — North Vietnamese gunners shot down three U.S. helicopters Saturday, destroying two and heavily damaging the third in action that contributed to a war-as-usual situation on the first day of the enemy-declared cease-fire.

The North Vietnamese version of a Tet cease-fire — which erupted into a bloody offensive last year — began at 7 a.m. Saturday. But the allies ignored it and their reports today showed scattered actions at about the same rate as in recent weeks.

The Viet Cong said their cease-fire would run seven days. The Saigon government announced Saturday it would observe its own stand-down for Tet, which falls Monday, but only for 24 hours beginning at 6 p.m. Sunday. The allies have said they will halt offensive activity during that 24 hours.

#### Peru

Envoy  
Pulled  
Home

LIMA, Peru (AP) — Peru ordered its Washington ambassador home for consultation and Lima police reinforced guards at American facilities Saturday amid rising anti-American feeling accepted by attacks Friday on U.S. tuna boats.

A report from the American Tuna Boat Association indicated the U.S. craft were back again Saturday in Pacific fishing grounds off Peru near where at least two of them were fired on Friday by a Peruvian naval gunboat. There were no injuries.

#### FINE PAID

One of the tuna boats was taken to a Peruvian port Friday and released after paying a fine unofficially reported at \$2,000. Besides summoning Ambassador Fernando Berckemeyer, Peru's military government also called home Luis Alvarado, its ambassador to the Organization of American States.

The Peruvian envoy maintained the U.S. boats were fishing illegally in territorial waters that Peru claims 200 miles offshore. The United States recognizes only 12-mile limits.

#### FINANCIAL WORRY

The prospect of U.S. economic sanctions, stemming from Peru's seizure of American-owned International Petroleum Co. properties four months before the fishing boat incident, was believed to be one reason for Alvarado's ordered return. Peru, claiming International Petroleum owes it \$690,000,000, has said it might take the oil case to the OAS if the United States cuts off aid and sugar purchases because of the \$200,000,000 expropriation.

#### 500 Years

Family  
Bones  
Gone

VIENNA (UPI) — Authorities at St. Stephens Cathedral here would like to hear from anyone knowing the whereabouts of the Holy Roman Emperor Friedrich III who died five centuries ago. His tomb recently was x-rayed and no trace of his bones was found.

Friedrich died in 1493, some 20 years before his ornate tomb was completed. Experts now suspect that officials may have overlooked putting Friedrich's body in the tomb.

The whereabouts of the remains of Friedrich's son, Emperor Maximilian I, also remains a mystery. Officials have known for years that his tomb has been empty. He died in 1551 near Vienna but the royal treasury couldn't afford to transport his body several hundred miles to his tomb.

#### Metal Doors Buckled

## Freak Wall of Water Hits Plush Motels

SARASOTA, Fla. (UPI) — A 4½-foot high wall of water churned up by a violent squall in the Gulf of Mexico smashed ashore without warning at Lido Beach Saturday flooding the lower floors of tourist-packed motels.

No deaths or injuries were reported, but an unidentified woman who was driving along a beach road apparently suffered a heart attack when the towering wave rolled ashore. She was hospitalized.

The wall of water, followed a minute later by a smaller freak wave, sent seas rushing 500 to 600 feet inland, smashed cars, and picked up one sailboat, depositing it in a swimming pool inside an interior patio at a motel.

The force of the onrushing water was so great it buckled metal doors on the ground

floor of motels and left water six inches deep in many of the plush suites.

Officials said the freak waves apparently formed when the squall kicked up heavy seas out over the gulf and two large waves slammed together.

The violent storm then moved across central Florida, battering some spots in the

Tampa Bay area with 75 mph hurricane force winds and causing damage in Winter Haven, Lake Wales, Mims, and Alturas, as well as Tampa-St. Petersburg.

The storm swept through Cape Kennedy shortly after noon but the space agency reported no damage and there was no interruption of the Apollo 9 countdown rehearsal now underway.

It was a different story, however, at Lido Beach, a lush resort strip linked to Sarasota by causeway.

John Barnes, manager of a motel, was on the beach along with office manager Howard Osborne, when the wave hit.

Neither man was hurt, but the fury of the water wrenched a watch off Osborne's wrist and Barnes escaped injury from smashing beach furniture only by climbing a pole.

Barnes said, "I was about 100 feet back from the normal water line and I turned around and I saw the wave coming and water was up to my chest almost immediately. 'I saw beach furniture on top of the following wave.'"

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#### French Campuses

## Mercenaries Find Work

● Troubled student world, Page 18

Colonist London Sunday Times Service

PARIS — Former mercenaries in the Congo have been recruited to keep the pace on some French campuses.

According to student leaders, Col. Bob Denard, of Congo fame, has organized the recruiting. Although this has not been confirmed, Capt. Georges Moreau, who served under Denard in the Congo, is openly recruiting "university assistants" for the Nanterre and Vincennes campuses. Both have been at the centre of France's student disorders.

Moreau, operating from a temporary office in the Buel Hotel in Paris' Latin Quarter, is offering \$42 for a 40-hour week. He said last week that he needs 200 men and had recruited about half of them.

Moreau refused to disclose who is financing his efforts. The ministry of the interior, whom students accuse of being behind the recruiting, say they know nothing about him.

Student leaders at Nanterre claim they have been man-handled and insulted by Moreau's strong-arm men. Moreau, however, who does not have a high opinion of the students' fighting abilities, says that with minor exceptions the presence of his men in itself has been enough to keep the peace.

#### Roo Bar Vital on Outback

## Turkish Motoring No Delight

By DWIGHT CHAPIN  
Colonist-Los Angeles Times Service

Phileas T. Fogg went around the world in 80 days. In 1907, a bunch of guys in old cars drove from Peking to Paris in 60 days.

Now comes a quartet of young British soldiers who manoeuvred their Land Rover 10,000 miles — from London to Sydney — in only 10 days of actual driving.

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Among other things, the adventurers faced:

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They traversed France, Italy, Yugoslavia, Iran, Afghanistan, Pakistan, India and Australia. But another

country provided most of the memories.

"Turkey!" boomed their leader, Capt. Gavin Thompson of the 17th-21st Lancers. "Absolutely the worst place. Petrifying!"

"You'd be driving up a hill and down the other side would come maybe three lorries or cars abreast, in one lane, headed right at you. You literally had to run for your life, scatter."

"There would be a fatal accident happening every mile or so. The roads themselves would be littered and there would be burning cars off along the sides. Life seemed to mean nothing to those people. Absolutely frightening!"

The four Britons and their vehicles — a Land Rover with four-wheel drive — were among the 100 entries in the first London-to-Sydney marathon. It was sponsored jointly

by a British and an Australian newspaper last November and December, as "an idea to help beat Britain's gloom over the devaluation of its currency."

A prize of \$22,000 was offered the winner.

The drivers came from all over the world. Thirteen of them were women. Their vehicles ranged from a 1930

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## Voters Segregated

# Smith Constitution Dooms Black Rule

SALISBURY (Reuters)—Prime Minister Ian Smith Saturday released details of a proposed new constitution racially separating the electorate and ensuring that there will never be Negro-majority rule in Rhodesia.

The new constitution would entrench the government of the territory—"in the hands of civilized Rhodesians for all time," Smith declared.

"I believe it is not only acceptable to Rhodesians, but with a clear conscience we can argue this constitution outside the borders of the country," he added.

**MODERATE LOOK**  
This indicated to political observers that the white-minority leader is still confident that the constitution will look moderate enough to the British for them to be prepared to continue negotiations on Rhodesia's future. The Smith regime seized independence from Britain several years ago rather than submit to eventual black rule.

In London, British government officials withheld immediate comment.

The new blueprint constitution was announced by the ruling Rhodesian Front after Smith completed an exhaustive country-wide tour drumming up party support for it.

It would provide for a multi-racial parliament—with sep-



Smith

arate electoral rolls for blacks and non-blacks—and for separate provincial parliaments for blacks and whites.

While in theory providing for eventual, though long-term racial parity in parliament, the constitution would ensure that there would never be Negro-majority rule in Rhodesia.

Smith has announced he hopes to hold a referendum on the new constitution in May.

The proposals call for the abolition of the present A and B rolls, which are based on income and means and are open to people of any race.

By virtue of higher income and other qualifications, the great majority of those on the A roll are whites, while a similar majority on the B roll, which has substantially lower qualifications, are blacks.

Under the new proposals, voters would be separated into two rolls—a non-black roll, which would include coloreds (those of mixed race) and Asians, and a black roll.

### NATIONAL PARLIAMENT

A national, or central parliament, is proposed, initially consisting of 66 members, 50 of them elected by the non-black voters.

Of the remaining 16 seats, eight would be elected by voters on the blacks roll and eight would be held by blacks elected by an electoral college consisting of chiefs, headmen and representatives of black councils.

In putting his weight behind the new constitution, Smith appears to have gone a long way toward placating his party's right wing.

### DEMANDS RESISTED

But he has not gone as far as many rightists wanted. Smith has resisted demands to phase blacks completely out of the national parliament—which would have been a full-scale application of political apartheid rather than the partial separation to be applied under the new constitution.

Initially, blacks would hold the same number of seats in the new national parliament as they do now, with the prospect—though restricted—of increasing this number.

## Moscow Criticism

# Italian Reds Repeat Raps

BOLOGNA (AP)—Italy's Communist party ended its 12th national congress Saturday with a near-unanimous vote insisting on independence from Moscow and denouncing the Soviet Union anew for the occupation of Czechoslovakia.

In his closing remarks, the ailing 68-year-old party secretary, Luigi Longo, made a statement that could only link the Kremlin. He said the week-long congress marked an "important step forward in our philosophy of independence... before everyone... in Italy and outside Italy."

### ADDED STING

Enrico Berlinguer, the man tagged to succeed Longo eventually and even now considered the actual party leader, declared in the major closing-day address that the Italian party would continue to feel free to criticize Moscow, its policies and "single acts of its policy."

This was the note upon which the congress opened a week ago.

The closing motion condemning Moscow and demanding the right of all Communist parties and countries to "sovereignty and independence" from outside interference carried particular significance. The Italian party is the largest and most influential Communist party in the

West and this congress was the first by a major party since the Soviet-bloc invasion of Czechoslovakia last August.

### NEARLY ALL

Support for the motion came from nearly all of the 1,000 Italian delegates. After the vote they went into closed session to elect a new central committee.

Membership of the committee was increased to 171 from 151. The re-elected members included several who had spoken against Longo during the congress. But Ambrogio Donini, the only one of the 78 Italian speakers at the congress who openly approved of the Czechoslovak invasion, was dropped from the committee.

### CHOICE AGAIN

Longo was unanimously re-elected secretary-general. He has led the party since the death of Palmiro Togliatti in 1964.

Despite the denunciations and the old treatment of the Soviet observer delegation here, the Italians made it clear they were not intent on an open split with Moscow. In his windup address, Berlinguer said the Italian "way of independence" did not mean a break from the international Communist movement.

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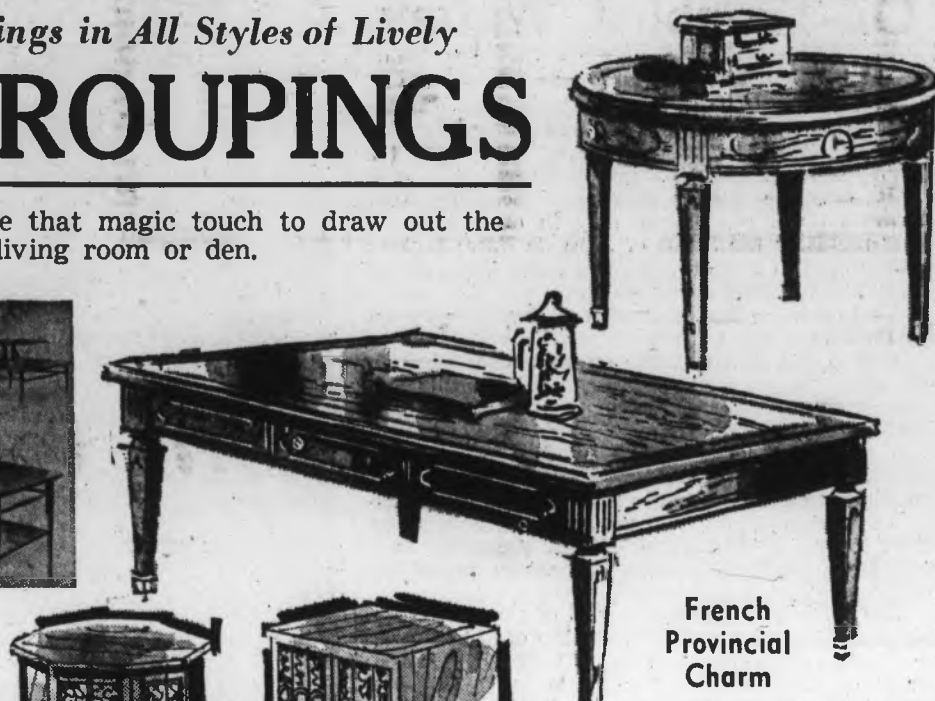
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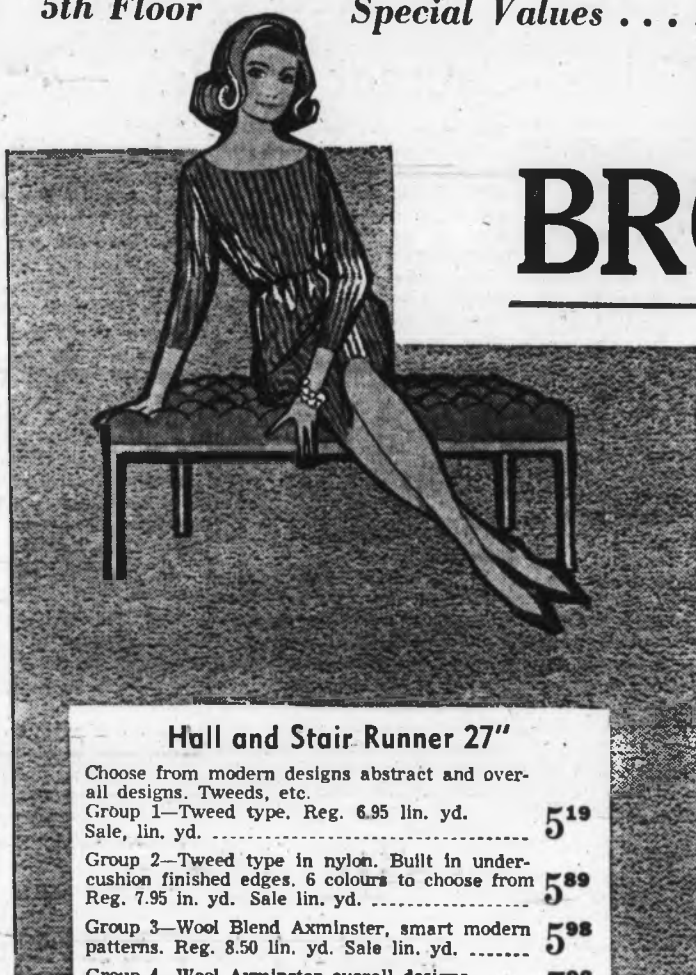
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## Oil-Troubled Waters

THE COMPARISON has been made between the oil leak off Santa Barbara and the Torrey Canyon disaster that the former—messy and costly as it was—spouted out "only" 21,000 gallons a day and the latter spilled a cargo of 35,000,000 gallons.

It may be faintly ominous, therefore, that enormous crude oil tankers may in due course be plying regularly the Strait of Juan de Fuca; tankers possibly of such proportions as to make ships of the Torrey Canyon's class look small.

This could be the implication of developments on two fronts.

One is the plan of three oil companies—British Petroleum Company, Atlantic Richfield Company and Standard Oil of New Jersey—to build a \$900,000,000 pipeline from the oilfields of Alaska's northern slope south to a port on the Gulf of Alaska, and the suggestion that the oil from this source will be carried by tankers to a refinery near Bellingham and a large part of it sent, by another new pipeline, across the United States. It had already been presumed that crude from southern Alaska discoveries would be brought to Puget Sound by ship.

The other development is that of the mammoth tanker. The Torrey Canyon was a ship of 61,263 tons. The current generation of biggest tankers is in the vicinity of 300,000 tons. An article in Optima by Gerald Manners says that a study by the Japanese ministry of transport has confirmed the technical and economic feasibility of 500,000-ton tankers, and also that "from the naval architect's point of view there would appear to be no reason why vessels of up to 1,000,000 deadweight tons should not be built and still exhibit worthwhile economies of scale."

The depth of water available at the points of loading and unloading is of course a limiting factor in this respect, but it is clear that in planning the transport of oil from Alaska to Washington State the companies are not thinking in terms of "little" Torrey Canyons.

There is another possibility, however, which could at least diminish the parade of giant oil carriers across our Vancouver Island doorstep. This is that a Northwest Passage can be effectively opened. From Finland comes news that research groups from some of the giant oil companies have been looking into Finnish icebreaker-building, with the possibility that they might order either icebreakers or construction plans for tankers of 100,000 to 200,000 tons with their own icebreaking capacity.

The Montreal Gazette also has suggested that a Canadian invention may enable the Arctic sea routes to be used. This is the Alexbow, an ice plow fitted to the bow of a ship which the Gazette says has proved successful "to a revolutionary degree."

Yet even in the Arctic, the spilling of a leviathan cargo of crude oil could be a tragedy. Pipelines down through Canada might be more expensive than sea transport. But they would be more disaster-proof.

## Under Scrutiny

A MAN WHO STANDS on the height of land, said an ancient eastern philosopher, invites the public gaze. It is perfectly natural that a prime minister of Canada, particularly a new, relatively young and inexperienced prime minister such as Mr. Trudeau, should invite close scrutiny of all his actions in the public domain. Nor should he resent comment.

It is certainly too early to pass judgement on his leadership, although it is fair to say that, so far, he has chiefly distinguished himself for unorthodoxy, an impatience close to contemptuousness for his political opponents and a sort of frivolity in word and gesture often seeming out of place.

In office he is no longer the boyishly lovable favorite he was among the pre-election crowds. Familiarity has diluted the glamor.

Many Canadians are disturbed by the embryonic policies which are emerging: the move for recognition of Communist China at the probable cost of continuing relations with Taipei, the testing of Canadian opinion on the issue of NATO and NORAD membership, and the priority being considered for foreign aid.

No one really knows precisely his aims in establishing "the just society."

In fact, as decisions are delayed, there is an increasing doubt of the prime minister's adequacy.

One British periodical, The Spectator, sees Mr. Trudeau as one who "appears to speak first and to consider the consequences later, and most of his gaffes have this impulsiveness at their source. . . . But in spite of his peccadilloes he still retains a fund of goodwill in the country. The succeeding months will show whether he is capable of using that goodwill, or whether it will be dissipated by a series of blunders which a more experienced prime minister could have avoided."

Let it be said that he showed a certain flexibility, as well as appropriate firmness at the constitution conference just concluded. But even there he was not the lead player. He was upstaged by Walter Weir, John Roberts and even, perhaps, Premier Bennett. Perhaps the political commentators in Canada got a little over-excited at the prospect of being led by a man with a high IQ, a pky grin and an unusual wardrobe. For certainly, so far, he has not lived up to their advances billing.

Mr. Trudeau faces formidable tasks. For the sake of the nation let it be hoped he is equal to the challenge.

### Hansard Titbits

## Following the Trend

MR. Knowles (Winnipeg North Centre): The hon. member for Peace River . . . suggests that I should be careful of that word "trend." We have a "trendy" prime minister . . . who is following the trend, which is to raise interest rates for the so-called benefit of the little man, the working man, the farmer, the fisherman and the person who needs housing. The result is, of course, that interest rates just go higher and higher and people have to pay more for the money they get and suffer more in paying it back.

Mind you, there are some interest rates that do not go up. The government is still paying only 4 per cent on the money that is in the civil service superannuation fund. I must be careful or I will get off on a speech which I would not be in order in making, but I think I have made my point . . .



Indian Patriarch

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You can be Mr. Meek N. Mild, seldom if ever raising your voice.

And silently you can sink some of the deadliest shafts in the elephant hide of the government.

Ask an oral question—a real shaggle, lovingly honed and calculated to bring cries of pain from your intended victim on the cabinet benches—and you run the very real risk of being fobbed off.

Presuming you ask your fifty-of-a-question confidently, without a stumbe or a mumble and get it by Mr. Speaker, you're open to instant reprisal and massive retaliation.

The cabinet minister you're trying to outbid can hammer you with an answer far harder than your question. And a snicker of laughter from the government benches sends you sinking back into your seat, humiliated.

Jack Pickersall of the Liberals and George Hays of the Conservatives, in their cabinet days, were masters of the political blood sport of the bowering.

The minister has another option of the open-ended answer, starting nowhere, wandering through a maze of words and finishing where it started—still nowhere.

Former Prime Minister Diefenbaker with his endless sentences and former External Affairs Minister Martin with his huffery-puffery were artists at spinning these impenetrable word-clouds.

Finally, the minister, if you have well and truly nailed him, and he knows it, can snowball you, just sitting there trying to make it look that you are too much the dun-dum to be taken seriously.

But despair not. You hold in your hand the ultimate weapon—the written question. You can work on it until it's politically letter-perfect, loaded with parliamentary poison, and then seek it to him on the Commons Order Paper.

If you've got your facts and figures—and never, never prepare a question unless you know the answers—you've got him cold.

He has to answer sometime—so keep nagging him—and when he comes clean, he'll show the bruises, maybe even bleed.

Like just what sort of written question?

Well, for instance the one being asked by that Maritime Tory buzz-saw Robert Coates:

"... Is it the intention of the prime minister and members of his cabinet who have charged the known service provided at government expense to return their \$2,000 car allowance to the federal treasury?"

Now there's a little dandy of a question.

The \$2,000 car allowance is just one of the fringe benefits of being a cabinet minister. It goes on top of his \$18,000 parliamentary pay as an MP

and the \$15,000 salary as a minister. For the prime minister it is a little "extra" on his \$18,000 parliamentary pay, \$25,000 ministerial salary and the roughly \$33,000 in house-keeping money for his official residence at 24 Sussex Drive.

With \$18,000 plus \$15,000 making \$33,000 for a cabinet minister, and \$18,000 plus \$25,000 plus \$33,000 totalling \$76,000 for the prime minister, you might almost think they could afford to run their own cars without that \$2,000 allowance. Especially when some of them get chauffeured limousine service provided.

If they answer "no," to Bob Coates' barbed question they might look like chiselers. And if they answer "yes," they're out \$2,000. Answer they must.

And then Coates has a follow-up set of questions almost as difficult to answer as his first doozier:

"How many Cadillacs are in the government motor pool available for cabinet use . . . and since June 25, 1968, (when this government came to power) how many and specifically who among the ministers (pocketing the \$2,000 car allowance) have used them how many times?"

By FRANK LOWE

### I Beg to Differ . . .

## Drugs Now Raise the Experts' Hue and Cry With Booze a Problem Lost in Limbo

WHAT in the world has become of all those problem alcoholics we used to have? You know what I am talking about—why, only a few years ago not many a day could go by that some authority didn't express his deep concern about the alcoholics in Canada.

Psychiatrists were worried about alcoholics. Sociologists were worried about alcoholics. Medical men were worried about alcoholics. In fact, anybody who wanted a little exposure in the news media knew a surefire route—let's talk about the alcoholics.

Today all has changed. One might think the country had experienced a sudden and mammoth drying out.

Naturally, that isn't the case at all. It is merely that alcoholics are no longer popular. The in thing today is the drug scene.

Today psychiatrists are worried about drugs. Sociologists are worried about drugs. Medical men are worried about drugs. In fact, anybody who wants a little exposure in the news media knows a surefire route—let's talk about drugs. Frankly, I find this fickleness

of those who are supposed to watch over and guide our social mores a little callous.

Are these ladies and gentlemen, who are ready at the drop of an interview to give their views on the current scene, so publicly-oriented that they will only talk about popular problems?

I mean, it kind of looks as if no expert worth his Ph.D. wants to be caught kicking around yesterday's problem.

"Poor Old Bob," one expert says as he slips a sherry in his study. "He's still worrying about alcoholism. He simply doesn't know that the today problem is drugs. He really is slow."

And with that Poor Old Bob has had it. No longer does he appear on TV public affairs panels. No longer is he asked to lecture at universities. No longer do publishers plead with him to write yet another tome to follow that one-time red-hot series made up of, "I Was An Alcoholic," followed by, "My Father Was An Alcoholic," and followed once more by, "My Grandfather Was An Alcoholic." Any expert caught up in an

out-of-date problem is as much in demand as hula-hoop salesmen.

All of which leads me to wonder if these problems the experts stumble onto are really as big and momentous as they are made to sound at the time.

For instance, there was the social problem posed by the advent of the motor car. I don't remember this, but thanks to an attic in my home and a mother who refused to throw away any kind of reading material, I learned about it.

Reading those yellowing pages on rainy afternoons I realized that when the motor car first burst on the scene at a price a lot of people could afford, our experts went into a giant-sized tizzy.

The motor car was "a bedroom on wheels" which would wreck the morals of our young. The motor car, because of its mobility, would destroy the very under-pinnings of the home.

But by the time I came on the scene the motor car was already a must in practically every home. And much to my disappointment I found the forecasts of the experts were sadly out of joint. All I could

deduce was that any expert who considered the back seat of a Model A a "bedroom on wheels" was a very small expert.

By the time I went to work drinking was the problem demanding the attention of the experts. Then, in a very few years, drinking disappeared from the scene to be replaced by the word "alcoholic."

How a man could be an alcoholic and not drink at the same time, I never did figure out. But suddenly the experts knew they were onto something good, and they went baying across the pages of our publications and our TV screens like hounds after a particularly attractive fox.

But those of us who might be called interested bystanders never did find out if the fox was ever brought to earth. Because somewhere in mid-chase our experts picked up another, sweeter, stronger scent.

And now they are off and baying again. It makes one wonder what the popular problem of tomorrow might be, doesn't it?

## Broad Barricades Come Under Attack

HOW LONG are the chaotic and unsatisfactory conditions on Broad Street, between Fort and View, going to continue? Have the city officials completely overlooked the ugly "No Parking" barricades that still close off this block?

Is this whole block now a special loading and unloading area for the exclusive use of one private corporation, or has the firm in question purchased the street from the city? If not, is there then a rental contract in effect that gives them the right to all this public roadway?

Are the taxpayers, or other businesses subsidizing the provision of public property for private use?

Quite apart from the inconvenience, and heaven knows downtown business should avoid this like a plague, the writer has on more than one occasion been swept into a one-way street to a jammed intersection, blocked out of his way.

The barricades are most unsightly and this whole block is provided by the City Fathers gratis and for nothing, to one private corporation. It seems to be a gross discrimination and quite unfair to other businesses.

## Our Readers' Views

To be considered for publication in whole or in part, letters must be on subjects of general interest, and be signed with pen-name, and be accompanied by writer's name and address. Editors will be given to those that are brief.

The usurping of a public street by one firm, however much we admire them, is wrong in principle.

And one final question: Is there compensation for the loss of meter revenue that once accrued to the city from cars using this block?

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### General's Critic Under Fire

In a recent issue your paper devoted a whole page to a scurrilous attack on the late General A. G. L. McNaughton, written by R. S. Malone. I feel, as doubtless thousands of others do, that this attack is unjustified and should be challenged. I knew the general over a long period of years, both socially and professionally, and in my opinion there is no justification at all for making such slanderous charges.

The author makes many statements . . . but he does not substantiate a single one. He quotes other military personages but he does not tell how the reader can check such statements . . . he makes a lot of charges but he does not make a case for any of them. This is not very complimentary to the reader.

Mr. Malone starts out by attacking a book, the recently published biography of General McNaughton, and ends up by boiling over about the general and not the author of the book. It looks to me as though Mr. Malone had had these feelings bottled up inside himself for years, and saw in the publication of the book an opportunity to spew them all over the place. He may not have liked the book but he used poor judgment and the general. It was not the general who wrote the book.

Mr. Malone speaks frequently of the facts which he says "will in due course set the record straight." Why didn't he wait?

for the facts to become available to the public so that they could then judge the merits of his charges? Everything he says may be true . . . but I object to his speaking so disparagingly about a great man without offering one iota of proof.

In reference to the biography Mr. Malone says, "It attacks the integrity, character and honor of many of our finest leaders, some of whom are now dead." Strange, isn't it, that he did not see that in making these statements . . . he was doing exactly the same thing to General McNaughton who is no longer here to refute these unsubstantiated charges?

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The book which so disturbs Mr. Malone was written by John Swettenham, who is an historian with the Canadian War Museum. I am wondering just what facts are available in the "record" to Mr. Malone that would not be available to Mr. Swettenham. After all, Mr. Swettenham is an official historian which would seem to justify the material in the book. What is Mr. Malone's position that would justify him in contradicting the record? I think Mr. Malone has done a serious disservice to society by publishing what appears to be his own personal prejudices about a great man. This apparent attempt to destroy one of our few national heroes is unworthy of him . . .

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### Socialist Planners Rebuked

After having lived under the OCF regime in Saskatchewan it seems strange to come to British Columbia and listen to the socialist NDP peddle their tired, old, worn-out, crackpot theories and fallacies which were all thoroughly discredited in Saskatchewan's ill-fated flight into socialist fantasy.

The NDP innuendoes and charges of alleged land speculation were real gassers. We are led to believe that if only the NDP were in power nothing like this would ever happen. All of which is pure hogwash. There are just as many rotten apples in the NDP barrel as anybody else's barrel. As a matter of fact the Saskatchewan record will show that the OCF had a few extra rotten apples in their barrel.

It came as no surprise to the writer that the NDP is against a Royal Commission on liquor. Being steeped in compulsion they have supreme confidence

in the ability of self-inflated "planners" to settle everything without reference to anybody else or anything else.

After Saskatchewan's experience with Crown corporations and the experience of the British coal board (about all this board did was continually raise the price of coal and lose the taxpayers' money), Mr. (David) Barrett's suggestion that a Crown corporation be founded to handle the Fernie coal takes first prize of a steam-heated ice pick.

The writer would like to write a book on our experiences with the socialists in Saskatchewan. On second thought make that two books. It would take me one book alone to deal with the socialist inconsistency. Any similarity between socialists trying to get into power and socialists in power is purely coincidental.

F. A. WATSON,  
950 Terrace Ave.

### Targets of Voice of Women

People keep asking: "What do the Voice of Women do?" Well, I'll tell you what they are doing right now on the national level.

First and foremost they are responding to the prime minister's appeal to all citizens to voice their opinions on Canadian foreign policies—something we can and should all be doing.

Stressing the irrelevance and extravagance of military alliances such as NATO and NORAD and OAS, they urge that we withdraw from the first and second and stay out of the third. They press the CBC to let Canadians hear the committees at work and Parliament in debate, so that the public can be well-informed on current issues.

They urge Mr. Trudeau and Mr. Sharp to bring about immediate recognition of the People's Republic of China as the government of all China. They continue to put pressure on the Canadian government to offer medical aid to all Vietnam civilians.

Individuals are writing personal letters, groups and provincial executives are writing and sending telegrams; and national executive is currently presenting a brief on foreign policy to Mr. Mitchell Sharp and the committee on external affairs and defence.

To call public attention to Canadian involvement in the Vietnam war, members across the country will continue their

boycott of the products of firms manufacturing war materials used in Vietnam.

And on the local level? Small groups are using their pens too, collectively and individually, to express their opinions as Mr. Trudeau has requested.

Up in Parkville towards the end of this month, Voice of Women are planning something really special: they are inviting everyone, young and old, V.O.W. resisters as well as supporters, to an informal get-together with Vancouver's Town Fool, Mr. Joachim Foklis.

Anything else? Why not write to the Voice of Women at Box 21, Victoria, and find out? (MRS. T. D.) DEENO BIRMINGHAM, B.C. President.

## Today In History

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Second World War: Twenty-five years ago today—in 1944—Allied photographic reconnaissance showed Monte Cassino monastery had been destroyed by Allied bombardment. American surface and air forces attacked Truk, the principal Japanese naval base in the south Pacific. Russian planes again bombed Helsinki, Finland.



# Study of Wootton Report Exercise in Futility

The legislature is just about to begin what can only be described as a three-week exercise in futility.

A standing committee, specially appointed to study the recommendations of the Wootton royal commission on automobile insurance in B.C., is all ready to go — on what?

It has until March 7 to look into the implications, mainly financial ones, of introducing a form of compulsory no-fault auto insurance in this province.

Setting a deadline for the committee, theoretically, was intended to allow the House time to pass legislation based upon the Wootton recommendations before the current session ends.

But while all parties officially are going into the committee with battle emotions flying, none really believes that legislation will be recommended at this session or perhaps for as long as Social Credit remains in power.

Why bother then to refer the report for study at all?

In the first place, the government has become painfully aware that it has a bad reputation for ordering costly inquiries into matters of public interest, then shelving the findings.

The Clyne report in 1964 recommended establishment of a single expropriation statute. Nothing was done. The Morrow report on gasoline prices in 1966 has twice been studied by legislative committees which have adopted a wait and see attitude on recommendations intended to make the industry more competitive.

To this list has now been added the Wootton report which cost the taxpayers \$291,000 during the three



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years from 1965 to 1968. The final bill will only be known at the 1970 session.

This kind of investment, plus the need to at least go through the motions of acting on the findings of the report, has prompted the government to refer it to committee at this session.

There is no danger of preposterous action. The government has a majority on the committee and former attorney general Robert Bonner, now a private member representing Cariboo, is sitting at the right hand of

chairman Herb Capozzi, another Secord, to keep the discussion on track.

Talking to Secord, NDP and Liberal spokesmen on the committee there seemed to be general agreement on only one aspect — a modified form of the compulsory no-fault system of car insurance might fit the bill.

This would probably give accident victims or their families the option to either accept compulsory no-fault basic coverage or retain the right to sue for a larger sum in damages.

Mr. Bonner admits this kind of a modified compulsory no-fault system could work. But he indicates it would be beyond the capacity of a committee to handle the necessary preliminary work at this session, even if it took until Easter rather than March 7.

He also warns that extreme care would have to be taken to ensure the government, which would presumably handle the compulsory basic coverage, would not confer "an undue benefit" on the insurance industry by looking after — and meeting — the expenses — of all run-of-the-mill claims.

In fact, I would say, Mr. Bonner is quite happy to see the present insurance system remain in effect.

He claims the "pink slip" coverage which requires B.C. drivers to carry a minimum \$50,000 comprehensive coverage and the Traffic Victims Indemnity Fund, which provides the same protection against uninsured drivers, is

better than Wootton's \$20,000 no-fault death benefit. His doubts, freely expressed, about the prospects of one Canadian province unilaterally altering the complexion of the whole North American insurance industry

are, I think, further proof of the government's negative view of revolutionary changes in this field.

Alex Macdonald, member for Vancouver East and his party's spokesman on car insurance, has indicated the NDP might compromise on its previously rigid stand in favor of full government-run car insurance. He personally favors the option to accept no-fault coverage or, the right to sue.

So does Liberal Garde Gardom, member for Point Grey, who is his party's only representative on the special committee studying the Wootton report. Mr. Gardom, however, adds he favors a modified form of no-fault coverage with the option to sue only if it can be economically handled.

It all points to one course of action. In the next three weeks the committee will seek more information on costs, it will find the industry and other sources need time to prepare their detailed submissions, and in all likelihood recommend no action until a further committee study is undertaken in 1970.

By then, who knows? Perhaps an election will have been held; perhaps the public will have forgotten the Wootton report in the new furore over proposed changes in B.C. drinking laws, now subject of yet another Royal Commission inquiry.

## What Are We Getting for \$329,000,000?

# Education Ship Lacks a Rudder

"The superintendent of a large Canadian school system says: 'Encourage children to think for themselves! I'd be fired! Make them think what their parents think. That's my job!'"

In this cynical quotation educator-publisher Dr. Wilfred Wees recently captured the eternal dilemma of the public schools — what shall they teach?

This year British Columbia's 85 school boards plan to spend a total of \$329,000,000. A housewife has a clear idea of what she is buying before she spends a dollar but there is no general agreement on what B.C. is spending its \$329,000,000 for this year.

What is the purpose of this enormous, costly machine we operate? Education, yes, but what kind? Do we want good citizens, "well-adjusted" children, scholars, businessmen, technicians or soldiers?

What sort of future society are we building each day as the morning school bells ring? It would be dangerous to carve the answer in stone and abide by it for all time. People change and society with them. But there should be clear guidelines for B.C., and at the moment there is only the haziest consensus of what we are aiming for.

You'll look in vain for any written statement; the outline has to be pieced together from fragments here and there.



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and principles," and left it at that.

Dr. Wees, in his 1967 Quince Lecture, summarized four different objectives of education. They were: "To teach the child what is called a body of knowledge; "To develop and form his character and make him a good citizen;

"To train him to earn a living; "Finally, in a reversion to the 19th-century heyday of the intellect, to train the child's mind in what is called intellectual development."

Nothing the choice of the Chant commission Dr. Wees commented: "This emphasis, however, can be taken only with a grain of salt, since the body of the report leads to the conclusion that Dean Chant thinks of number one and number four as the same thing; acquiring

a body of knowledge is intellectual development."

The Chant commission, then, interpreted intellectual development mainly as reading, writing and arithmetic. It's a pleasure to see that B.C.'s department of education has evolved a much more enlightened interpretation.

The department, despite its authoritarian ways, is not archaic. Today, a major effort is underway to remake a curriculum outmoded long ago.

In the new courses there is an aim to teach children how to think, to question, challenge and discover for themselves. It isn't happening overnight but the memorization of facts is giving way to learning how to learn.

participation by other segments of the community. There seems to be no broad over-view of the goal.

Alberta's 1969 Cameron royal commission report on education made a vigorous and forward-looking statement of the aim of public education. It said: "The school must strive toward some major objective larger than the sum of its numerous specific jobs.

"Surely the purpose of education goes beyond perfect preservation of the status quo," said the commission headed by Senator Donald Cameron.

"While the schools cannot flout the restraints and bounds of propriety imposed by society, they must produce students who are capable of courageous individual conviction."

And the commissioners decided: "The major aim of education is to stimulate initiative, critical thinking and ability to be intellectually self-directing."

theme of the society around it.

In a sentence that could have been written with B.C. in mind, the authors say:

"... If the society is in a state of rapid social change involving modification of its mores and institutions, beliefs about the social role of the school will reflect the uncertainties and conflicts (of the population)."

Without firm guidelines an education system is susceptible to being pulled hither and thither by any powerful pressure group.

The Cameron commission observed: "It has become indelibly clear that numerous individuals, groups and organizations seek to further their legitimate and commendable ends through the capture of the public schools."

What B.C.'s \$329,000,000 education system needs is a continuous line of communication with the public it serves. We need a basic, pervasive democracy in the system so that it is directed by consensus, not pressure groups.

## Innocent Hutterites Hated in Alberta

# Canada's Best Farmers Persecuted

By RON HAGGART

Unlike the cult of Jehovah's Witness, members of the Hutterite sect do not knock on the doors of strangers nor pass out leaflets on the street attempting to convert others to their religion.

They do not permit dancing, nor use cosmetics, nor practise birth control. But Hutterites never attempt to inflict these views on the other people, which is more than can be said for many other minority religious groups (and every religion is a minority in Canada).

Contrary to popular myth, the Hutterites do pay taxes. They could reduce their taxes by a simple and quite legal device. But as part of their religious scruples, they refuse to do so.

They are the bearded and black-hatted peasants of the central plains, simple, shrewd, and above all else, excellent farmers. They are the lineal descendants of 450 years of whipping, burning, expulsion and other forms of religious persecution.

That persecution takes subtler and more casual forms today, but the Hutterites know it is not yet over. They are either hated or ignored, and the Hutterites provide the classic lesson that, in Canada, it takes only a handful of hate to wreak vengeance upon the weak, the child-like and the innocent.

to 100 persons own their farms in the name of a registered corporation and, like all corporations, pay income tax on their profits. They could avoid almost all tax by paying themselves wages. The corporation would be stripped of its profits and no individual would receive enough to be eligible for personal income tax.

But the Hutterites live by a literal interpretation of the Book of Acts — all who believe should hold their possessions in common and distribute them according to need.

The attempt to restrict

Hutterite colonies began in Alberta in 1942, when the legislature of that province passed a law which prohibited Hutterites or enemy aliens from buying land.

The courts, interestingly enough, disallowed the Land Sales Prohibition Act because it mentioned enemy aliens, who were a federal, not a provincial responsibility. So the Alberta legislature simply passed the law again, this time mentioning only Hutterites, and the law remained in force for several years.

This badly discriminatory legislation, which denied the right of land purchase to a named religious group was guided through the legislature by Solon Low, later to become national leader of the Social Credit Party. Low used patriotism as an excuse:

Our boys do not feel like fighting the battle to protect these people who stay at home and the feeling is so acute that acts of violence have been threatened. For this reason, we felt some prohibition was needed to prevent violence and preserve unity.

There could hardly be a clearer example of rule by the mob. Low did not mention, of course, that during the war Hutterites contributed to the Red Cross, agreed to accept non-military national service and bought war savings bonds (upon which, unlike other Canadians, they refused to accept interest).

The Alberta law in its present form requires the approval of the Municipal Property Control Board before a Hutterite community can enlarge its land holdings, that is, engage in the elementary right to transfer land from a willing seller to a willing buyer, and it requires the approval of the Cabinet, after a board hearing, before a new Hutterite community can be established and buy land.

A requirement that the property board hold public hearings was removed in 1962, obviously because an embarrassing amount of venom, hatred, hypocrisy and misinformation was being revealed among the farm and Canadian Legion groups who flocked to the board hearings to oppose Hutterite expansion.

In deciding on the Hutterite communities, the Alberta cabinet is guided by the volume of opposition coming from the nearest town, which is why the Farmers Union of Warner, Alta., declared in 1960 it was willing to "break civil laws in Canada if necessary," to stop Hutterites from moving in.

Yet it has been repeatedly shown that Hutterites do not spend less in the local towns than other farmers, but they do spend their money differently. They ignore the beauty parlors and buy the best in farm implements.

In Ottawa last month, the Supreme Court of Canada upheld Alberta's discriminatory anti-Hutterite laws, quite con-

rectly declaring that Canadian provinces are free to do as they wish with the property and civil rights of their citizens.

Including the continued persecution of the ablest farmers Canada has ever known.

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## Car Men Test, Anticipate

Shelva Pollock, right, helps test General Motors' Squirmling Iron, device used to carry out punishing 20-hour wear tests on most material and construction in all GM cars which equal 100-pound person squirming in and out of car 50,000 times. Engineers conduct tests every day on seats picked at random from GM assembly lines, as well as on materials submitted by suppliers.

Below is Ford Motor Company's new compact, Maverick, shorter than most domestic compacts but slightly larger than those from Europe and Japan. Company calls it real individualist among cars. Foreign vehicles captured one in nine car sales last month, and Ford hopes new model will stop this trend. Maverick will go on sale in mid-April with basic price tag of less than \$2,000.



## Century's Third Wave

# Mergers Sweep U.S.

### France Soon Scrap?

PARIS (UPI) — The luxury liner France may be scrapped because it costs the French government too much to keep her afloat, the newspaper France-Sol reported Saturday.

The pro-government newspaper said the matter is expected to be discussed at the weekly cabinet meeting Wednesday. It said it was difficult to estimate how much the France, the world's longest liner, cost the government.

NEW YORK (AP) — The third great merger wave of this century is surging through the ranks of American corporations at a record rate.

It is estimated that 4,400 companies — small, medium-sized and giants — were swallowed in mergers and acquisitions in 1968. This was a 50-per-cent increase over the previous peak of 2,975 in 1967. The value of cash and securities involved in the 1968 transactions is calculated at \$50,000,000,000.

#### PROBE STARTED

The explosion of merger activity brought an investigation by the Federal Trade Commission in an effort to determine the causes and effects of the trend and whether new legislation is needed to control it.

It wasn't a phenomenon confined to the United States. The British board of trade undertook monopoly investigations in that government's first major intervention in what it called the "merger mania."

Some writers use euphemistic terms in describing mergers and acquisitions — such as "romance" when negotiations are in progress; "engagement" when a government has been reached; "marriage" when the transaction is completed.

#### FORCIBLE RAPE

But in some instances the takeover of one company by another could be more aptly described as cold-blooded seduction or forcible rape.

Some mergers and acquisitions are, indeed, happy matings. On the other hand,

some takeovers arouse bitterness among stockholders and consternation among ousted executives and displaced employees.

The first major merger wave about 1900 founded such industrial giants as U.S. Steel Corp., U.S. Rubber Co. and American Can Co.

#### SECOND WAVE

In the second wave during the 1920s, big companies such as Bethlehem Steel Corp., Republic Steel Corp., and Allied Chemical and Dye, for example, extended their operations into allied fields of supply and distribution.

The current wave, which began in the 1950s, has spawned the conglomerates — huge corporations which expand by acquiring companies in diverse fields of products and services. Mergers have multiple attractions to corporations. A company with a lot of cash and securities sees the possibilities of profit in acquiring another firm already successful or with possibilities. A company being acquired sees an advantage in greater availability of financing and technology.

#### BUSINESS SPREAD

The spread of conglomerates is based on the thinking that with diversification a corporation doesn't have all of its eggs in one basket; that if business falls off in one area the company as a whole won't be seriously harmed.

Over the years the government has successfully challenged certain mergers under anti-trust laws on the grounds of stifling competition. But it has had difficulty in moving against the conglomerates because elimination of competition is seldom involved in their acquisitions.

A majority of mergers and acquisitions in 1968 were accomplished through stock exchanges. Common stock was mostly involved and cash transactions declined.

#### BIG DEALS

Some of the big deals of 1968 included Kennecott Copper Corp.'s acquisition of Peabody Coal Co. for \$622,000,000. International Telephone and Telegraph Co.'s acquisition of Rayonier for \$300,000,000 and Northwest Industries' \$300,000,000 outlay for Philadelphia and Reading Corp.

Also among the giant transactions was the Control Data Corp.'s acquisition of Spanglow Corp. for \$130,000,000 and the \$450,000,000 Singer Co.-General Equipment combination.

But the number of proposed mergers and acquisitions that collapsed has been high.

Mergers and Acquisitions, a publication devoted to this field, reports that about one out of every five proposals was killed last year. It attributes their demise to anti-trust activity, legal snarls, wide price swings, clash of managements, incompatible product mixes, regulatory problems and other extraordinary developments.

## More Minor Bugs Appear

# Sky Giant Performs Encore

EVERETT, Wash. (AP) — Test pilot Jack Waddell paced the big Boeing 747 jetliner through its second 2-hour and 20-minute flight Saturday, uncovering some new but apparently minor bugs in the 355-ton plane.

About 40 minutes after a flawless lift-off, Waddell reported by radio that he was having difficulty synchronizing a down rudder, although it apparently did not impair the plane's handling abilities.

#### NOT NORMAL

Waddell also reported that his cabin pressure was "not normal" after reaching an altitude of 15,200 feet, the greatest height yet for the 231-foot jumbo jet. That problem got further attention after Waddell lowered the plane to 5,500 feet.

Waddell and two co-pilots pushed the 747 to speeds of up to 280 miles an hour, crisscrossing over Hood Canal, about 30 miles southwest of here.

The plane's landing gear was retracted for the first time on Saturday's flight, and Waddell made a low pass over Everett's Paine Field for observation by engineers on the ground.

The 45-year-old test pilot had said just before landing that he would do a "touch and go" on the 9,000-foot Paine Field runway, but he abandoned that plan and eased to a roller stop.

The 747 had its maiden flight cut short last Sunday by about an hour when the pilot of an F86 chase plane reported seeing

a minor misalignment in one of Saturday's flight, the chase pilot radioed Waddell that "everything looks completely normal."

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## Ready Market in Ottawa

# Word Merchants Find Explicitating Difficult

By DAVE MCINTOSH  
OTTAWA (CP) — Here is some of the latest Parliament Hill jargon, or jargonese as it is called here:

High-speed vertical transportation system: An elevator-Transport Minister Paul Hellyer.

Greater reward in the market place: A price increase-Agriculture Minister H. A. Olson.

Second-best solution: Compromise-Prime Minister Trudeau.

Counter-productive: Negative-Trudeau.

Explicitate: To make explicit-Charles Drury, treasury board president.

Inseparable: No choice-Drury.

Conceptualize: Get an idea-John Lundrigan, Conservative MP for Gander-Twillingate.

Sources of other pieces of jargon are harder to identify but are probably bureaucratic:

Feeless: Not feasible.  
Implementation input: Money.  
Decasualization: Employment of fewer part-time workers.  
Fatigue levels: How tired are you?

## Mechanical Problems

Due to tabulation difficulties, the tabulation of last week's stock trading in Vancouver could not be carried in this edition. The summary should appear in its usual place next Sunday.

Financial disequilibrium: Chaos.

On Jan. 27, 1968, Herb Gray, parliamentary secretary to Finance Minister Edgar Benson, told the Commons (Hansard, page 4855):

"Let me say at once, Mr. Speaker, this should not necessarily mean that ultimately on balance if it may appear that implementation of such a proposal is the best thing to do under the circumstances, that such a decision should not be made."

On Jan. 15, Defence Production Minister Don Jamieson, responsible for public printing, gave the Commons a figures showing that the daily public circulation of Hansard, the official record of debates, has fallen to 15,833 from 16,100 last spring.

## Shopping Centre Closes

# Fear Kills Black Dream

WILMINGTON, Del. (AP) — Delaware's first venture in black capitalism has failed — killed after one year by hoodlums and fear.

Harry Young, a 42-year-old high school biology teacher, said Friday his dream of making it as a Negro businessman in a Negro neighborhood vanished in a pile of broken windows and a bath of red ink.

"I'm closing down the entire shopping centre," Young told a reporter.

"It's all over. There's no other way. The insurance was cancelled after the place was broken into the 16th time in one year."

The 10-storey centre — first in Delaware financed, owned and managed by Negroes — opened Feb. 5, 1968 after Young and three

partners, one a Methodist minister, took over a \$110,000 mortgage from the previous white owners.

"We never got fully occupied," said Young. "The residents wanted to help, but young hoodlums, most of them under 18, just wouldn't give us a break. They pushed and shoved customers, and broke into their cars."

Young disclosed his plight in a letter to Gov. Russell Peterson in which he said hoodlums "are running rampant" and customers "are literally frightened."

Police said they tried hard to keep the neighborhood peaceful and blamed a lack of recreational facilities for problems that created teen-age hangouts in the centre's restaurant and record shops.



# Longshoremen End Strike In New York

NEW YORK (UPI)—Longshoremen in the port of New York began going back to work Saturday to end the longest dock strike in the port's history—56 days.

But there was no immediate sign of movement in other ports from Maine to Texas. About half the 22,000 longshoremen in New York harbour started to tackle a backlog of 212 ships and mountains of cargo tied up on piers idled by the lengthy walkout.

## MORE TO FOLLOW

Thomas Gleason, president of the International Longshoremen's Association, predicted the other ports would start falling into line after New York longshoremen ratified a new contract by nearly 3 to 1 on Friday.

The contract with the shippers had been agreed upon a month ago, but Gleason had refused to submit it for ratification by the rank and file pending settlements in other East Coast and Gulf ports. The ratification vote finally was ordered by a federal judge.

Representatives of the I.L.A. and shippers met late Friday and for three hours Saturday in Galveston, Tex. But there were no reports of progress in negotiations to cover most Gulf Coast ports except New Orleans.

**TENTATIVE FACT**  
The I.L.A. in New Orleans has reached a tentative agreement with shippers but officials refused to say when the members will vote on it.

The contract accepted in New York includes \$1.60 an hour in wage and benefit increases over three years. Wages will be \$4.60 an hour in the third year. The men were working Saturday at overtime rates.

An important part of the New York contract was an agreement for the unloading and repacking of containerized cargo that originates within 50 miles of the port or is being shipped to an address inside that radius.

**OBJECTIONS**  
Shippers in other ports have protested they cannot afford to match the New York settlement, and many objected in particular to the containerization provision.

Containerized cargo is packaged so it can be lifted directly onto ships by machinery, eliminating the need for longshoremen to handle it. The New York contract also provides a guarantee of 2,000 hours of work per year—a 40-hour week for 52 weeks.



Veteran Woodsman Charles Yingling

## Unusual Retirement Ahead

Veteran woodsman Charles Yingling of 4260 Cedar Hill Road, who starts retirement leave March 3 to complete more than 30 years with the B.C. Forest Service, is going to do something different from the usual retirement chores of golf, fishing and gardening.

He's going to pan for gold and rummage around for rubies.

Born in Revelstoke, Mr. Yingling was educated there and in Ontario, then farmed

and logged for eight years in the Arrow Lakes area. He joined the Forest Service in 1939 at Revelstoke as an assistant ranger.

He passed his forest ranger's examination in the early 1940s and worked in several parts of B.C. until coming to Victoria in 1951. Since then, he has served in the Service's inventory division.

Mr. Yingling has had a lifelong fascination with riverboats and has a splendid collection of photos of the

vessels, one of which is shown in the picture above.

His interest in panning for gold also stems back to his boyhood days, and he has found some nuggets in the Columbia River area, the largest about the size of a flattened 50-cent piece.

His retirement gold searching will be in that district while he'll look for rubies in a tributary of the Fraser River. But without gold or rubies, Mr. Yingling will be in the land he loves best—the outdoors.

## France May Boycott West European Body

LONDON (UPI)—Britain and five of its West European partners Friday defied a French boycott and held a two-hour meeting on the Middle East crisis without France. British sources said similar sessions were likely despite French objections.

The meeting took place at London headquarters of the seven-nation Western European Union—a defence alliance, which has the advantage of linking Britain and the six common market countries. These are France, West Germany, Italy, Belgium, Netherlands and Luxembourg.

In Paris, Foreign Minister Michel Debré Saturday warned of the possible boycott by France of the WEU.

**DECISION WEDNESDAY**  
He said the French cabinet would decide on Wednesday.

Debré said if France failed to receive "satisfactory explanations" about Friday's meeting in London without France, "it is possible that France will decide not to participate in WEU meetings."

WEU was set up in 1954 to control West German rearmament. Its main functions still are European arms control.

But Britain has sought to use it as a means of regular political consultations with "the six" of the common market. The French have reacted strongly, fearing the British were trying to get their toe into the European door despite French President de Gaulle's ban on their joining the common market.

**EGYPT WARNED**  
In Jerusalem Maj. Gen. Haim Herzog, a commander of Israel's reserve forces, warned Egypt Saturday night that the Jewish state is prepared to strike back against any Egyptian military action along the Suez Canal.

"Hostile operations constitute a two-way street," Herzog said in a speech over Radio Jerusalem.

Herzog accused Egyptian soldiers of "sniping" across the waterway at Israeli troops

lining the east bank and said these attacks were increasing in intensity.

Al Fatah, the Arab guerrilla organization, warned Saturday of new Israeli reprisal raids in Jordan.

Despite the warnings, the Middle East was relatively calm and Israel appeared to be softening its position slightly with regard to peace moves by

the Big Four powers—the United States, the Soviet Union, Britain and France.

Israeli Transport Minister Moshe Carmel told a rally in Jerusalem Saturday that Big Four talks on the Middle East dilemma could lead Arab and Israeli negotiators to the peace table. He said Israel would reject an "imposed" peace settlement.

## Pakistanis Speculate About Ayub Chances

KARACHI, Pakistan (AP)—Demonstrations against Mohammed Ayub Khan continued in Pakistan's chief cities Saturday, rousing speculation as to how long the embattled president can hold on.

The new outbreaks, including a reported attempt on the life of Ayub's chief political foe, came a day after a violent nationwide general strike protesting government policies. Five persons were reported killed Friday in riots and gun battles in Lahore, Karachi and Hyderabad.

In Lahore, home of former Foreign Minister Zulfikar Ali Bhutto, 300 miles north of Karachi, supporters of the opposition leader seized a man as he whipped out a pistol and took him to Bhutto, a spokesman for the former minister said.

Two anti-government demonstrations were staged in Lahore Saturday, with crowds demanding that opposition parties reject Ayub's invitation for talks Monday to try to end the current constitutional crisis.

The 62-year-old president remained secluded in his heavily guarded residence in Rawalpindi, where he has been staying since his return Wednesday from a week's visit to East Pakistan.



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## Week on the Prairies

# Loss of Weir Majority Possible

Voters in four provincial constituencies could reshape the face of the Manitoba legislature in key by-elections next Thursday.

Three previously were held by Progressive Conservatives and one by a Liberal. With four seats vacant, standing in the 57-member house is Conservatives 28, Liberals 13, New Democratic Party 11 and Social Credit one.

Premier Walter Weir's Conservative administration thus could lose its overall majority.

aside from the speaker's vote, unless it holds two of the seats.

President Maurice Gauthier of the Societe Franco-Manitobaine has complained that prairie premiers refused to ensure equality for French and English Canadians during the constitutional conference in Ottawa earlier this week.

Charges against 27 men who had pleaded not guilty to being found-ins at a Calgary bawdy house were dismissed in magistrate's court Friday. Magistrate R. V. Read said most of the accused had pleaded not guilty in December and the prosecution had still not brought the cases to trial.

Welfare Minister C. P. MacDonald has warned the provincial Liberal government "will not stand idly by and permit a small minority of radicals to destroy our university."

In a speech in Regina devoted entirely to troubles on Canadian campuses, he warned of a "taxpayers' backlash" developing against university advocates of "violence, disrespect,

vulgarity, obscenity and irresponsibility."

The University of Winnipeg announced Monday that Dr. P. H. T. Thorlakson has been elected chancellor for a three-year term. The 73-year-old Winnipeg surgeon succeeds the late R. H. G. Bonnyycastle, the university's first chancellor.

Al Pierce of Fort St. John, vice-president of the British Columbia Farmers' Union, says charges will be laid against Alberta farmers in the Peace River area shipping grain illegally into British Columbia. The Canadian Wheat Board has completed an investigation into complaints from the British Columbia Farmers' Union that grain is being "bootlegged" in the Peace River country, Pierce said.

A Progressive Conservative member of the Alberta legislature wants a special committee established by the government to examine and review all matters relating to the invasion of privacy of the provinces' citizens.

L. D. Hyndman (PC—Edmonton West) says he intends to introduce a motion asking for the committee because "there is a continuing trend toward encroachment on the individual's right of privacy."

A government committee investigating problems on the

Southern Alberta Institute of Technology campus developed a set of guiding principles and then adjourned until early next week.

Deputy Education Minister T. C. Byrne, the committee chairman, said the principles outline the particular interests of the students, the instructors and the administration.

Conservative leader Peter Lougheed believes far too much public business in Alberta is conducted in secrecy and pledged his Progressive Conservative opposition will continue efforts to "open up" government.

A spokesman for Air Canada says the government-owned airline is not "stealing" from Western Canadians by overcharging on Polar flights as

charged by Hu Harries, Liberal member of Parliament for Edmonton Strathcona.

Edmonton manager Al Sutherland said Air Canada has made a concentrated effort to establish all trans-Atlantic fares on a constant rate-per-mile basis.

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# Turkish Motoring No Delight for Racers

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Bentley to a Ford not long off the assembly line.

The trip involved two water passages, from England to France and from India to Australia (nine days). But the driving task was herculean.

Of the 100 starters, just 56 finished. The British soldiers were 49th.

Their Land Rover looks like a tank... which spent some time in the workshop of Rube Goldberg.

It has nine lights in front, for example, windshield wipers in the rear, heated windshields, three fuel tanks, two horns (for driver and navigator), radio and tape cartridges, a tank cooker and gadgets galore.

Unfortunately, one of the things it does not have is speed.

"The race was set up with the idea that you had to make certain checkpoints in a prescribed time," said Thompson. "We missed a few of them. Our machine has only four cylinders."

But she's a sturdy creature, five months in the modification. Nothing was left to chance.

"See this here," says Thompson, grabbing a sturdy steel grillwork at the front of the Land Rover. "This is a roo bar."

"For kangaroos, of course," he says. "Bloody things can ruin a vehicle if you hit one. Fortunately we didn't. But lots of people have been killed in Australia when their cars struck the things."

"We couldn't go over the Khyber Pass at night," said Thompson. "There are still bandits in the mountains who will fire on cars — if it's dark."

In India, crowds 30 deep in some places packed the route. Some of the Indians threw "anything they could get their hands on" at the racers. And if nothing were handy to toss, they'd beat on the roofs of the cars with their fists.

In Iran, the people had apparently never seen cars driving with their headlights on in daytime — for safety reasons. So some of the more exuberant of them hopped into their own cars, turned their lights on, and joined the parade.

The terrain often was tough, too. In Afghanistan, where the sultan decreed that no camels should be allowed on the road until the racers got through, a

rough, high mountain trail — previously closed — was opened, to make things more interesting.

Some of the worst roads, "if you call potholes roads," says Thompson, were on the Nullarbor Plain of Australia.

Thompson and his crew — Christopher Marriott, Mel Lewis and Charles Skelton — were lucky. Their chief complaint was their vehicle's lack of oomph.

"We did get ditched once, in Iran," Thompson said. "We

got lost in Turkey on a mountain road and we had a couple of tire punctures. But everything else went well."

Others were not so fortunate. Accidents and injuries were almost a part of

the ground rules for the race. One of the most seriously hurt drivers was Lucien Bianchi, who was leading the race just a few miles from the finish in Sydney when a family out for a joy ride collided with his car.

Andrew Cowan of Britain eventually won, in a Hillman Hunter.

The British soldiers flew from Sydney to Los Angeles to begin spreading their story in the United States, where

they'll stay the rest of the month before returning to England.

They have, they feel, lived up to the nickname of their army unit — "The death and glory boys."

But the recollections of

their trip mostly include more prosaic things, such as the comment from one of the drivers when the 10,000 miles journey had been completed.

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### Orange

at the Quebec Coliseum, accompanied by Rural Development Minister Jean Marchand and the queen and duchess of the carnival.

Earlier, Marchand said he had received a "crank call" threatening Trudeau's life Friday afternoon but did not bother to report it to the prime minister's staff.

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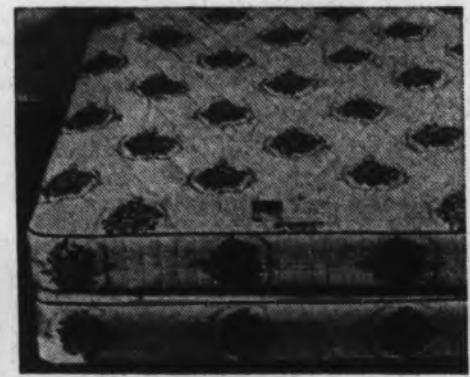
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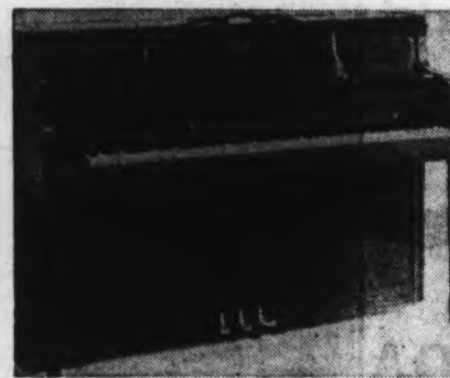
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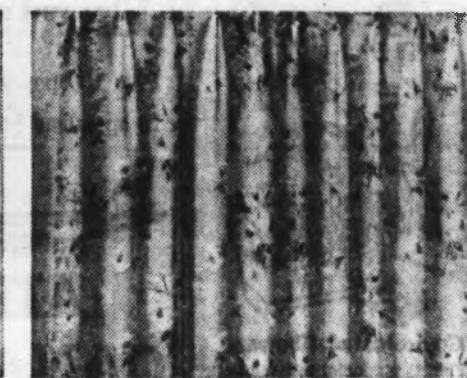
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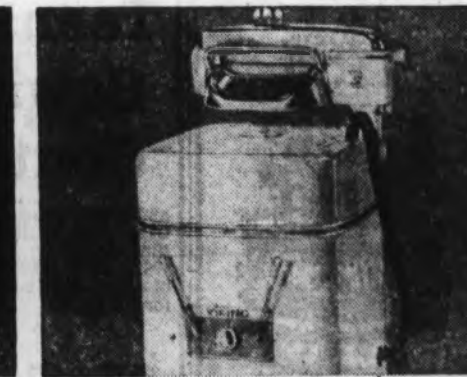
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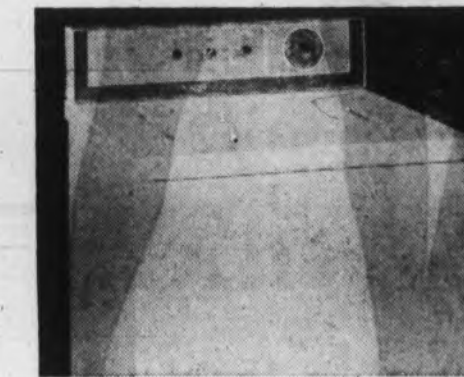
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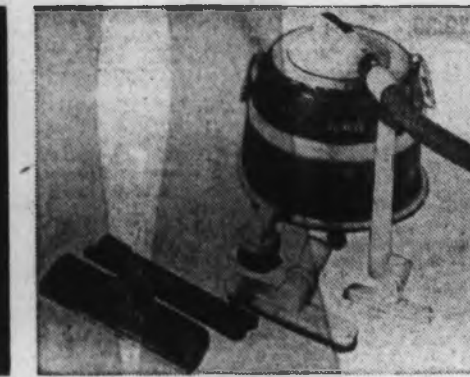
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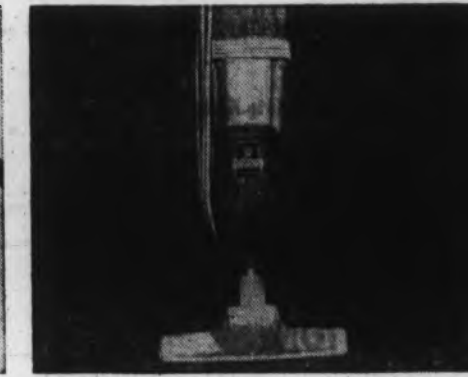
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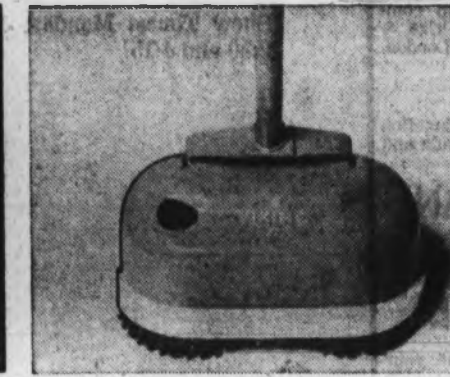
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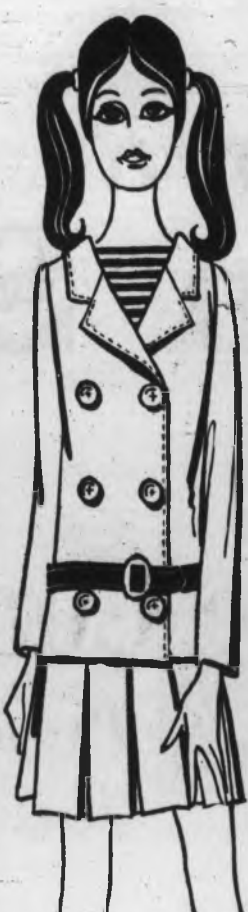
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## McCall's PATTERNS

If you are chosen a finalist in the Southern Vancouver Island region, you will have the chance to model your own outfit in a special fashion show to be held here at Eaton's, April 11th and 12th. Winner will be flown by Air Canada to Toronto to compete for the Grand Prize — the Trip for Two to London, England.

The contest is in conjunction with Eaton's, Air Canada and the

## CANADIAN COTTON COUNCIL

Remember to pick up your entry form from the Fashion Fabric Department of any Eaton store. Contest is open to girls 13 to 19. Consolation prizes include a Viking TV set and Viking sewing machine!

## EATON'S



## Maid of Cotton Fashion Shows

Mon. and Tues., Feb. 17th, 18th.

In conjunction with the Canadian Cotton Council and McCall's patterns. Come meet 19-year-old Cathryn Louise Muirhead, a liberal arts student at Texas Women's University and the 1969 Maid of Cotton. She'll model her all-cotton wardrobe during the Monday showings only. Pat Gwyer of McCall's patterns will provide informative and interesting commentary throughout all showings Monday and Tuesday. Plan to attend these exciting shows and meet Cathy and Pat Gwyer informally after each show Monday.

Show Times: Monday, February 17th, Tuesday, February 18th, at 12:30, 2:30 and 4:15

In the Third Floor Fabric Area



# EATON'S

Air Canada will provide transportation for the 1969 Maid of Cotton and her company on their Cross-Canada tour.





# Chinatowns to Fight for Rights

By PETEE LEUNG

The Chinese community in Victoria has been invited to participate in a nation-wide conference on urban renewal and redevelopment as it affects the Chinese communities in Canada.

The conference, to be held in Calgary, April 6 to 9, is organized by the Sien Lok Society of Calgary.

Representatives from Chinese communities in various big cities in Canada as well as government officials are expected to attend.

In a circular accompanying the invitation, the society states that it seems that whenever urban renewal and redevelopment takes place in a Canadian city, "Chinatown" is involved.

"What usually happens is that the Chinese community is caught unaware of its rights,

unable to speak with a unified voice, unable to 'hook' into the decision-making process."

The society says "Chinatowns" are slowly being wiped out, relocated without planning or forethought —

creating many new social problems that have never before existed.

"For example, if the clan homes in Chinatowns are closed because of renewal and redevelopment, the single

aged Chinese will become homeless.

"Because most of them are pensioners without families, they cannot afford the high rents outside the clan homes and would lose their sense of

identity and dignity which they are able to maintain in clan homes," the society says.

Sam Lun, president of the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association, the leading Chinese organization in

Victoria, said Saturday the Chinese community here was considering the invitation, and he expressed the hope that someone from Victoria would be able to attend the conference.



Busy as at any . . .

## Queen Hunt

### Jaycee Eyes On Girls

With the onset of spring, Victoria Jaycees, like most men, are girl-watching.

In May, Victorians will have the chance to watch the girls the Jaycees are watching when Miss Victoria is crowned at the Jaycees Fair.

About 35 to 40 contestants between the ages of 18 and 26 are needed, according to chairman Rennie Heckert. The young women must be single and Victoria residents for at least a year.

Entries must be in by March 15, and the semi-final judging will be April 2. The 10 finalists will be given instructions in modelling, public speaking, poise and makeup.

Miss Victoria will be crowned the last night of the Jaycee Fair, which runs May 19 to 24. Young women in the Greater Victoria who would like to be queen can enter the contest by calling the Jaycee office.



downtown corner . . .

### Rape Case Bail \$5,000 Each

Bail was set at \$5,000 each for three Brentwood Bay men who appeared on rape charges in Central Saanich magistrates' court Saturday.

Remanded without plea for one week by Magistrate D. G. Ashby were Wilfred Joseph Henry, 33; Simon James Smith, 31, and his brother, Fraser Henry Smith, 22.

Police said they were called about 10 p.m. Friday to a house on Senanais Drive where a Vancouver girl said she had gone for help. She said she had been attacked after accepting a ride from downtown Victoria to the Swartz Bay ferry terminal.



Constable Bryan Bailey mirrors determination, frustration, disbelief . . .



## Early Start Expected

# Convention Centre Confirmed

## Project Leak 'Unfortunate'

By BILL THOMAS

Victoria will definitely get a convention centre, and construction could start this year. President of Imagination International Ltd. of Vancouver, N. J. R. McKinnon, said Saturday his company was already developing detailed plans for the site bounded by Douglas, Blanshard, Pandora and Cormorant.

The same site was the basis for a program submitted earlier to City Hall by Oxford Leaseholds.

First report of the proposal came Thursday from a brief paragraph announcing the company's other plans for Vancouver projects. Word of the \$15,000,000 Victoria project caught City Hall officials completely off guard.

Mr. McKinnon said, "It was just unfortunate that news of our plan leaked out before we were ready to make a formal announcement."

### CITY REACTION

The original report said the plan called for a 25-storey hotel and apartment-building and a 20-storey office block, along with the convention centre and a shopping mall. Mr. McKinnon said size of the project would depend on reaction from City Hall.

Mr. McKinnon said, "We feel Centennial Square is the focal point of the city and is the ideal area for the location of a convention centre and hotel. We will go ahead regardless of what the CPR does at the Empress Hotel site. There is no question of our looking for handouts from anybody. We are ready to go ahead on our own."

### BROAD CONCEPT

"We have a broad concept of what we feel is needed. In the next few months we will have detailed plans to present to the city. Our basic idea is to have maximum utilization of the centre for day and night activities."

Naturally, the size of the CPR project could influence our plans in designing our hotel and convention centre, but we will go ahead no matter what they do.

### IDEAL SPOT

"We hope to be able to complete negotiations for all the properties in the block, so that we can draw a comprehensive plan for the whole block. It is an ideal spot."

"Our plan calls for a hotel, apartments, stores, offices and the convention hall. I want our people to have all their homework done before we go before the city officials."

### NO HANDOUTS

"How soon we get moving will depend a lot on the reaction we get from the city. We don't want any public money and we don't want any handouts, but we will need the city's co-operation."

Mr. McKinnon said, "This is not the Oxford plan in any way. I have never seen the Oxford plan."

Imagination International Ltd. is now developing a property at Georgia and Seymour in Vancouver. This is a combination office building that has facilities for lodge meetings.

### PLANNERS AT WORK

Mr. McKinnon said planners for the Vancouver development company were working on details of the Victoria plan and the company is in active negotiation with hotel management organizations.

The property was recently sold to Imagination International by the Edmonton-based Oxford Leaseholds.

Oxford had presented the city with a development plan for the block a year ago, but dropped the scheme after failing to reach agreement with city officials.

### CPR PLAN

Meanwhile, negotiations are still going on between the city and CPR for construction of a convention centre "plugged in" to the Empress Hotel.

Under the proposed terms of this plan, the city will absorb the cost of building the \$2,000,000 centre while the CPR will absorb one-quarter of the operating deficit.

### Architect:

## Historian Prompted By Pique

It was pique which prompted historian James K. Nesbitt to argue against saving Fernwood House from demolition, architect Peter Cotton charged on Saturday.

Mr. Cotton, past president of the Greater Victoria Historical Buildings Foundation, said Mr. Nesbitt, 68-year-old Fernwood largely because he is interested in preserving other Victoria landmarks.

Mr. Nesbitt, B.C. representative on the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada, said Friday:

"Fernwood is not worth saving and it is of no historical importance."

The former home of Victoria pioneer B. W. Pearce, Fernwood has been temporarily reprieved from demolition to make way for a 200-suite apartment development.

Mr. Cotton said that he had discussed the controversy with Mr. Nesbitt.

"He has two or three reasons for his stand, chief among which is pique that no one in our group has done much for Craigdarroch Castle," said Mr. Cotton.

"Mr. Nesbitt is basically a journalist who hasn't much appreciation of the architectural factors involved."



Daphne

## Seen In Passing

Daphne Sudlow, at an adding machine . . . (A bookkeeper for a fuel firm, she lives at 1347 Basil Avenue with her four children, Rick, 15, David, 12, Sheri-Lynn, 10, and Raymond, 8. Daphne's favorite hobby is curling.) . . . Doug Adley planning a display panel design . . . Peter Adams doing very well at his first game of bowling . . . Marion Elgreaves talking about woodpeckers . . . Stella Smith with a good book . . . Boreen Baker telling of her husband that potato peelings should be less than an inch thick . . .

## Groos Joins Critics

# CNR Delays, Stalls Over Ogden Point

By DON GAIN

Victoria Liberal MP David Groos said here Saturday that he, too, is "fed up to the teeth" with the CNR's handling of the Ogden Point docks.

"I agree with everything George Dawson said," the federal member said.

Mr. Dawson, a shipping agent with King Bros., said Friday that facilities were inadequate at Ogden Point and he was convinced that the CNR wasn't going to do anything to improve them.

### HARBOR BOARD

He said operation of the docks should be taken away from the crown corporation and a harbor board should be set up. Mr. Dawson deals daily with the drawbacks of the too-shallow basins at the docks and with the lack of modern facilities.

"I don't blame him for blowing his stack," Mr. Groos said Saturday. "And I'm glad he spoke out. The publicity will be very helpful, I hope."

Mr. Groos said he had been dealing with the federal transport department for a year and still had no satisfaction.

### REPORT BOUGHT

"Just a year ago, I asked the transport department for a report on the future of Victoria Harbor, and they've been

stalling and stalling and stalling. They keep telling me they will have a report in a few days or a few weeks."

"I think the CNR are experts at hiding behind the department of transport in their delaying tactics and in evading a confrontation with the facts we have."

### MONEY TAKEN OUT

"On Friday I was told by the public works department that the CNR and the transport department were ready to meet with me. But, because of the past performance of both the CNR and the transport department, I'd be very hesitant to give a forecast as to when the meeting will take place."

Mr. Groos said the CNR had been taking money out of Ogden Point for 50 years, and "it's time they put some money back in."

He said the port should be taken over by a harbor commission if the railroad didn't get going soon on improvements.

### DREDGING NEEDED

On the question of updating Esquimalt Harbor for giant bulk carriers which will be calling at Roberts Bank superport by the end of the year, Mr. Groos said he would ask the public works department about it "this coming week."

The Esquimalt Graving Dock is the only drydock in B.C. which could handle emergency repairs to larger ships, but it would have to be enlarged to handle the giant ships now being built. Esquimalt Harbor will have to be dredged to allow the ships in. Its present depth is only about 32 feet and this is not sufficient.

"I will take up the question of both the possibility of enlarging the graving dock and dredging the necessary channels to the graving dock with the department of public works this coming week," Mr. Groos said.

### NOTHING IN WRITING

From Ottawa, Esquimalt-Saanich MP David Anderson said he and Mr. Groos "have nothing in writing from any shipping company saying they plan to use the docking facilities in Victoria. Until we do receive assurances that they are interested, it's hard to get the appropriate departments interested."

Mr. Dawson had said that unless modern facilities were available, shipping companies would not use Ogden Point.

"If David Groos and I would only receive letters from the shipping companies themselves, we'd have a real weapon," Mr. Anderson said.

Langford, says a former member of the incorporation study committee.

Alex Chow, 530 Cairndale made the appeal as one more name was added to the flurry of resignations which has plagued Langford, Colwood and Metchosin since the defeat of the Feb. 1 incorporation referendum.

Rev. W. J. O'Brien, who has served on the zoning advisory commission since its inception five years ago, announced his resignation.

### NOT REFLECTED

"I feel that the time and effort required of the members are not reflected in its accomplishments," he said.

Father O'Brien said his resignation was sparked, as was chairman Stan Hisecock's, by a municipal affairs department decision to grant re-zoning applications for five mobile home parks, which the zoning committee had recommended against.

He noted that at a recent meeting, Municipal Affairs Minister Dan Campbell had said he would effect legislation for taxation of trailers in municipalities, but not in unorganized districts.

Mr. Chow said he was sorry to see so many resignations following the referendum defeat. "I don't think they were necessary," he said.

### BIGGER BOARDS

He advocated enlargement of the three district fire trustee boards to include representatives to the regional board and to the pool commission.

Present fire districts of Colwood, Langford and Metchosin have three trustees each. Mr. Chow suggested that they be enlarged to five to enable them to cope with new functions, and to give representatives a governing body to report back to.

Meanwhile, former school trustee Fred Boulter accused the resigning community leaders of acting like "crybabies."

"Because the people wouldn't go along with their desire to incorporate, they're refusing to do anything at all," he said.

## From Government House Pond

# Deliveryman Saves Child

The sharp ears of a Victoria deliveryman saved a small girl in an icy predicament at Government House Thursday. "I was driving by when I heard a little girl screaming," said Ronald Lee, 33, of 1750 Teakwood, who delivers for Victoria Unity Produce.

"Through the fence I could see a little girl in the middle of the lily pond."

Mr. Lee parked his truck, ran around the Government House fence and in through the driveway. He found a girl he thought was about four years old in water up to her waist.

"There was ice on the pond," he said Saturday. "Apparently she had walked across the ice and broken through. The ice was keeping

her from moving and she was very frightened."

Mr. Lee broke the ice with his fists and walked into the pond. The girl put her arms around him but he had difficulty getting out because the sides sloped, he said.

"A lady had followed me into the grounds and I handed the little girl to her." The woman who delivered

the little girl to her home told The Colonist she thought Mr. Lee should be congratulated on his act. She said she was driving by, too, but didn't realize anything was wrong until she saw Mr. Lee park and start running.

"Nobody else saw or heard what happened," she said. "I think he should get some recognition."



in Hillside centre's Saturday rush



# Canadiens Display Top Form To Continue Drive for Lead

Montreal Canadiens, in top form against the injury-weakened Boston Bruins, scored a 3-1 win Saturday night to continue their drive for the National Hockey League's East Division lead.

Victory, third in a row and extending an unbeaten streak through a sixth game, moved Canadiens within two points of the Bruins.

Playing without Bobby Orr, Derek Sanderson, John

McKenzie, Ron Murphy, Tom Williams and Gary Doak, the Bruins couldn't cope with the Canadiens and were in the fight for the points until the third period mainly because of the standout goaling of Gerry Cheevers.

## CHEEVERS SPECTACULAR

Cheevers made fine stops on Yvan Cournoyer, Dick Duff and Jean Beliveau in the early minutes. Later in the period he moved smartly to get in front of a deflection by Jacques Lemaire, then made a spectacular glove stop on Lemaire in the second period as well as

balking Cournoyer and teammate Glen Sather, who forced a great save with an attempted clearance.

With Cheevers keeping the score down, the Bruins several times came close to going ahead. They missed the first goal when a power-play try by Ken Hodge hit a post and Gump Worsley had to come up with a couple of exceptional stops to prevent a tying goal until the last minute of the second period.

Henri Richard opened the scoring late in the first period when Eddie Shack let Bobby

Rousseau get by him on the right boards in the Boston zone. Rousseau went in deep and passed back to Richard, who got away a quick shot past Fred Stanfield to beat Cheevers cleanly.

Careless play by Jacques Laperriere inside his own zone brought the Bruins the equalizer 12 seconds before the end of the third period. A hard shot from the left point by Don Awrey was tipped past Worsley by rookie Don Marcotte.

Canadiens, cheered on by 18,290 fans, just two short of a Montreal record, dominated the third period.

Ferguson, who did a fine job in marking Hodge, got what was to be the winning goal in the fifth minute. Ralph Backstrom, who spent most of the evening shadowing Phil Esposito, made the play and Ferguson got his shot under Cheevers from the right side.

Beliveau completed the smartest play of the game to end the scoring less than three minutes later.

Dick Duff started it with a crisp blue line-to-blue line pass which put Cournoyer in. Cheevers came out to block the sizzling shot but the puck came out to Cheevers' left side and the alert Beliveau, following up on the play, grabbed it and

backhanded into the wide-open goal.

Elsewhere in a full schedule: Toronto Maple Leafs, who have scored 18 times in winning three straight games, moved within two points of third place in the East Division by clobbering New York Rangers, 6-2, in Toronto. Toronto-goaliekeeper Bruce Gamble settled down after the first period to play a brilliant game as the Leafs built a 3-2 lead into a safe margin; Jacques Plante played another superb game, blocking 45 of 46 shots while his team was held to 17 shots as St. Louis Blues defeated Los Angeles Kings, 4-1, before 15,187 noisy St. Louis fans.

Minnesota's aroused North Stars continued their steady climb towards a West Division playoff spot by running over Detroit Red Wings, 6-2, before 14,606 fans in Minneapolis.

Chicago Black Hawks, who had yielded 42 goals in being six and tying two of their eight previous games, blanked the Flyers, 3-0, in Philadelphia as Dave Dryden starred with 48 stops.

And Ted Hampson brought Oakland Seals a 4-4 tie with Pittsburgh Penguins by scoring with a booming shot 90 seconds from time.



Cougars' Doug Gibson (12) failed on this chance to beat Lorne Hudson near the start of a busy evening for the Kamloops goalkeeper. Hudson

managed to kick out 43 Victoria drives but 10 eluded him.—(William John photo)

## Naimark Within Win Of B.C. Mixed Final

CAMPBELL RIVER — Barry Naimark of the Vancouver Curling Club, backed in the men's playdowns, Saturday moved within one victory of reaching the B.C. mixed final.

Winning three games Saturday to go with an opening victory on Friday night, Naimark's rink (Bobbie Wallace, Terry Paulson, Del-Jean Miller) won the "A" side of the eight-rink, double knockout Pacific Coast Curling Association playoff and reached the final in the "B" side.

Naimark meets Ozzie Isfeld of North Shore (Kay Wilson, Herb Wilson, Shirley Isfeld) in the "B" final at 9:30 this morning. If Isfeld wins, the deciding game will be played starting at 2:30 p.m.

The PCCA champion will meet the winner of the B.C. Curling Association playoffs in a best-of-three series here Tuesday for the right to represent B.C. in the Canadian final.

Naimark, who started his march Friday by defeating Bill

Bennett of Ladner, continued by scoring a 6-5 decision over Isfeld in the "A" semis, then defeated Jim Marasco of Port Alberni in the "A" final before eliminating Harry Whitman of Nanaimo, 11-8, in the "B" semis.

Naimark, who won from Isfeld when he came second a long guard to take out a partially hidden rock in the four-foot ring, curled exceptionally well in his game against Whitman. There, he had some takeout troubles but never quite lost an early lead.

| EAST DIVISION |    |   |   |   |     |     |    |      |     |
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**BOSTON 1, MONTREAL 3**  
FIRST PERIOD: Richard (11) (Rousseau, Harts) 17:44.  
SECOND PERIOD: Stanfield (B) (S) Sather (B) and Richard (M) 23:35; Savard (M) 24:00.  
THIRD PERIOD: Backstrom (18) (Backstrom, Laperriere) 4:22.  
Penalties—None.  
Attendance: 18,290.

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## Blais, Evans Pace Cougar Victory With Three-Goal Performances

KEVAN HULL

Adrian Blais scored his first three-goal effort in a regular B.C. Junior Hockey League game and Grant Evans scored his fourth three-goal performance of the season Saturday in Victoria Cougars' 10-3 triumph over Kamloops Rockets.

Victory extended Victoria's win streak to four games during which time the Cats have scored 26 goals but wasn't enough to gain ground in their fight for first place with Penitents Errows, who stopped visiting Vernon Essos, 6-1, in the other game.

Results left Cougars three points behind Broncos, who are one game closer to the end of the 40-game schedule.

WARM UP SLOWLY  
Taking the first 10 minutes to get warmed up, Cougars put on a shooting display seldom seen in Memorial Arena during the next 30 minutes to the delight of 2345 fans.

Although slightly outplayed in the opening period, Cougars came out with a 3-0 lead, yielded the first of Ken Tarnow's two goals in the first minute of the period and then rattled seven goals behind Kamloops' goal-keeper Lorne Hudson, who finished with 43 saves.

HARD SKATING HELPED  
Hard skating by Cougars as a team was the underlying cause of the outburst with wingers Blais, Graham Brown, Dave Williams, Scott Munro and Bruce Cowick leading the way.

Blais, who scored four goals in a playoff game for Penitents last season, broke out of his 1969 scoring slump to reach the 20-goal mark. The leftwinger, who scored two goals on four occasions early in the season, had scored only once in eight games since the start of the year.

Blais and Evans each took full turns as penalty killers as well as the Evans dished his performance somewhat by taking three

penalties through retaliating on the other team. The leftwinger, who scored two goals on four occasions early in the season, had scored only once in eight games since the start of the year.

Brown, making an impressive comeback after missing more than a month with a broken wrist, Williams, Shayne Webster and Munro scored the other Victoria goals.

Hudson lost his temper in the final minute of the second period, receiving a major penalty for wrestling Blais to the ice. But his outburst kept Cougars from parking around his doorstep in the final period and the Rocket player was impressive in the last 20 minutes, turning aside 22 shots.

A bench penalty for too many men on the ice cost Cougars a power-play goal by Don Stewart and a defensive lapse enabled Tarnow to score his second goal in a reversal of the first period.

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JIM TANG

WALLY OSTAFYCHUK and Fred Nelson have been regular competitors in the Daily Colonist's Vancouver Island bowling bonspiels but Wally O will miss for the first time this year, not having found the time to take part in a five-pin league. However, he edged out Bob Wilks of Duncan by a few minutes to make the first entry in the sixth annual tenpin bonspiel. Sports Illustrated has come up with revealing statistics. Although almost all the players in the National and American Football Leagues are selected in the college draft, 50.4 per cent of them have yet to get their college degrees. Minnesota, Houston, Arizona State, Colorado and Iowa State are listed as having the greatest percentage of non-graduates in professional football. ... It was a bit ironic, in a way, when Negro-pro Charlie Sifford defeated South Africa's Harold Haining in a playoff in the recent Los Angeles Open golf tournament. ... Anyone interested in going to Mexico City for the World Cup soccer finals, June 6-21, 1970, should get in touch with Harry Christie, 1116 Hamilton Street, in New Westminster. He's already arranging charter flights and the approximate cost for return air fare from Vancouver, hotel accommodation and tickets is \$350. ... Cleveland Browns of the National Football League claimed Jiggs Smaha in the recent college draft but it's understood that the promising lineman will remain with the B.C. Lions, who got him last season because he didn't complete his college career. ... Billy Casper is certainly one of the two or three best golfers in the world today but not many would put him quite on a par with Ben Hogan. But Casper earned more last year (\$205,000) in tournament play than Hogan did in his career. ... players on Russia's national hockey team went on a buying spree before returning home. Hats, shirts, ties, chocolate bars and gum were among their purchases but the most important package contained 50 Canadian hockey sticks, some of them the curved variety. They'll give the twisted blades a real trial but chances are the Russians won't be long in learning that the curved sticks are a detriment to most players. ...

ON THE HOT SEAT: Billy Reay coached Chicago Black Hawks to their first, and only, National Hockey League championship in the 1966-67 season but he hasn't much in the way of job security at the moment. Unless the Hawks start winning soon, Reay will almost certainly pay the penalty for that trade which appears to have wrecked his club and made a power out of Boston Bruins. That, of course, was the exchange which gave the Hawks Gilles Marotte, Pat Martin and Jack Norris for Ken Hodge, Phil Esposito and Fred Stanfield.

Esposito had scored 23, 27 and 21 goals in his three seasons for the Hawks and was the centre for Bobby Hull when Hull set the NHL record of 54 goals in the 1965-66 season and followed with 52 in the Hawks' championship season. But Reay, apparently disenchanted when Esposito failed to get a single point in the 1967 playoffs and believing that Marotte was the coming defence star, agreed to the trade.

Hull, Toronto-columnist Jim Proudfoot writes, was embarrassed after the trade and commented at the time that "I don't see how we can make the playoffs now."

The Hawks did make the playoffs last season, but barely, while the Bruins rose from last place to third. This season, the Bruins are looking like a championship is likely, the Hawks are floundering and Chicago morale is not the best.

In a recent game, Esposito scored a smart goal against the Hawks in Chicago and, Proudfoot says, Hull turned to Reay and said: "Well, now are you satisfied?"

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## UVic's Howe Top Gymnast

Darryl Howe of the host University of Victoria won individual honors in the three-team individual gymnastic meet Saturday but Everett Community College of Washington State took team honors.

Howe won the floor exercise, still rings, parallel bars and high bar events and placed second in the sidehorse to take the individual championship over teammate Mike Blades. Everett finished with 125.22 points followed by UVic with 117.28 and UBC, 103.93.

## Thunderbirds Top Vikings

University of British Columbia Thunderbirds defeated University of Victoria Vikings, 69-52, in an exhibition men's basketball game Saturday at UVic gym.

Neil Willisroft led the winners with 21 points, 13 in the last half, after the visitors had taken a 29-28 halftime lead. Vikings top scorer was Stan Piper, with 11 points.

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# Entries for Colonist Fivepin Bonspiel Soar Past 100

Boosted in the past few days by Up-Island bowlers, entry in the Daily Colonist's sixth annual Vancouver Island Fivepin Bonspiel soared past 100 teams on Saturday, leaving only about 20 berths unfilled.

The popular competition, scheduled at Gibson's Recreations March 20-23 and this year offering a guaranteed \$1,800 in cash prizes as well as 16 engraved individual trophies, has a limit of

128 teams. That's all that can be put through three events in one weekend and entries received after the first 128 will be

placed on a waiting list in the order received in the event of a cancellation. As in the past few years,

there is a large entry from Nanaimo. The Tub City has so far entered 11 teams, and there was a call yesterday for more entry forms. There

are also five teams from Chemainus, three from Duncan, two from Campbell River and, of course, the Lake Cowichan Omwa's.

Bowling on the first two days, Thursday and Friday, will be confined to the evenings. Victoria-area teams drawn against each other will

start Thursday night and get more action on Friday night along with any Up-Island teams wishing to lighten their schedule by making a Friday

start. Bowling will be continuous from the Saturday morning through Sunday until the three finals have been played.

## Latest complete entries:

GLOBE HOTEL, Nanaimo (94): Bill Brown 138, John Thompson 138, Ernie Ross 205, Ross Waring 205.

ROBINSON'S ROLLERS, Nanaimo (28): Ted Armstrong 222, Mary Armstrong 253, Betty Robinson 254, Ron Sanders 27.

C.C.F. HALL NO. 1, Nanaimo (38): Marjorie Wells 268, Alice Stevenson 27, Arlene Sanders 285, Art Clarke 228.

GRAMME MOTORS, Nanaimo (387): Mildred Coulthard 124, Chuck Ward 125, Clara Morrison 126, Ray Morrison 213.

BROWN'S BODY SHOP, Nanaimo (387): Beverly Ross 128, Len Ross 227, Jeanne Gerard 228, Joe Perry 228.

DANA CABINETS, Nanaimo (189): Grant Stephen 224, Sven Hansen 128, Helmut Leberlein 224, Ted Coulthard 225.

CAMPBELL RIVER ACES (28): A. Morrison 228, Bob Wadia 128, Helen Labanthe 124, Howard Totten 207.

QUINSM HOTEL, Campbell River (22): Gary Hamilton 213, Ray Hughes 203, Ed Frost 228, Doug McDonald 203.

OMWA'S, Lake Cowichan (128): Betty Macneil 202, Buster Warr 224, Hazel Olson 121, Jim Olson 213.

DUNCAN SHMOOS (23): Jim Sellers 224, Paul Fouchier 228, Ernie Moon 228, Dunc Atwater 224.

CHEMAINUS BOWL (17): Eldon O'Dell 124, Ben Frenkel 177, Betty O'Dell 127, Joe Frenkel 228.

GOOD NEIGHBOURS, Chemainus (220): Fred Stevenson 228, Sandy Linder 228, David DeClark 173, Jean Stevenson 228.

DUNCAN HEADHUNTERS (160): Errol North 224, Reid Pines 228, Sandy Linder 228, Larry Zalinski 213.

HOPEFULS, Duncan (47): Gloria Atwell 124, Wendy Whitton 128, Don Robson 173, Olive Hill 127.

RAINBOWS, Sooke (28): Omar Robertson 124, Sharon Pedersen 124, Joan Miller 172, John Atterbury 177.

KILPAS, Chemainus (388): Carl Stevens 121, Doris Stevens 128, Corinne Green 224, Art Green 217.

PIVEPINNERS, Nanaimo (22): Viv Tannock 124, Tracey Whitton 128, Dorcas Mayovsky 125, Fred Mayovsky 127.

BLOWERS, Nanaimo (28): Sven Wedholm 121, Kent Wedholm 122, Jan Wedholm 208, Norma Wedholm 173.

ALLIANCE, Nanaimo (74): Mickey Dennis 222, Helena Leberlein 128, Rene Ward 125, Don Milburn 228.

KOKERS, Nanaimo (227): Alice Weaver 224, Vic Weaver 224, Janet Blank 124, Don Blank 213.

MENZIE'S MINIFITS, Chemainus (21): Mike Mait 228, Mary Thompson 221, Edith Menzies 224, Bob Kerr 221, John Kerr 221.

PEN PALS, Chemainus (177): Bob Kerr 221, John Kerr 221, John Kerr 221, John Kerr 221.

BRENTWOOD BUSTERS (42): Don Tregear 222, Jackie Ross 127, Ron Crocker 128, Phil Ross 224.

DIALS (127): Fred Garde 228, Edith Campbell 124, Karen Mowatt 124, Ray Samuels 213.

LUCKY'S ESSO SERVICE (284): Gordon Amy 128, Herbie Amy 124, Wendy Merrick 228, Gene Smith 228.

OCEAN EXPRESS (22): Mike Thompson 222, Pat McCorkell 128, Mario Rossi 228, Mabel Thompson 124.

PICKERS (21): Carl Strey 228, Mary Walters 127, Cy Walters 224, Fred Walters 213.

QUESTION MARKS (242): Jessie Burden 128, Ken Burden 122, Cliff Harris 176, Gary Diehl 228.

OAK BAY PHARMACY (28): Clara Bell 228, John Bell 228, Mary Thompson 221, Stan Bell 224.

MDK-TIPS (28): Neil Jouis 127, Jerry Ross 121, Cheryl Redden 124, Keith Terlan 224.

TWO BY TWO (228): Bob Edmondson 121, Wyn Edmondson 128, Don Redden 128, Stan Clarke 228.

PRENS (28): Pam Moore 128, Mike Buchanan 224, Eleanor Curry 176, Robert Bell 127.

BOMBERS (227): Shirley Craie 128, Madeline Thompson 124, Margaret Warren 224, Stephen Baumann 227.

PRICE & SMITH (22): June Rossan 128, Ross Davis 127, King Lee 203, Walt Creed 224.

FOUR VETS (22): Don Kennedy 127, Judy Thuer 127, Maynard Lemon 228, Terry Damsell 228.

PEDDLERS (121): June Peddler 228, Brian Peddler 128, Clary Bradford 172, Wayne Furland 224.

SHUTTERBUGS (128): Sena Guel 228, Amy Smith 173, Mary Larson 228, Dave Williams 224.

PICKUPS (228): Eva Nelson 124, Paul Jackson 220, Val Wilkinson 228, Fred Nelson 213.

TUDOR HOUSE (228): Mickey Smith 124, Maxine Wilson 128, Ernie Mulliken 228, Ben Price 224.

EIGHT BALLS (121): Bob Beckwith 210, Dennis Beckwith 124, Dennis Parker 224, Ken Jones 221.

SCREW BALLS (278): Erika Weber 124, Kathy Skotte 124, Wayne Skotte 124, Barb Dickinson 128.

FOUR TUNES (22): Kay Clarke 228, Barbara Toller 128, Ken Clarke 221, Nick Koudie 224.

MISFITS (214): Chuck Andrews 228, Jim Becker 128, Terry Cox 128, Russ Hall 228.

HOPEFULS (214): Robin May 228, Joyce May 128, Wes Vogter 221, Bill Macbeth 228.

MAGNET HARDWARE (272): Joe McMillan 128, Don Staples 124, Norma Daisley 128, Al Leland 228.

DEFENDERS (127): Robyn Millison 222, Gary Carlson 224, Al Roberts 224, Jim Ross 228.

GORDON'S MAINTENANCE (288): Judy Millison 128, Ty Curry 172, June Stewart 144, Billie Stewart 124.

HUNTS (228): Russell Hunt 127, David Hunt 128, Marjorie Hunt 228, Alf Hunt 222.

OUTCASTS (281): Ken Stewart 224, Linda Stewart 213, Jim Munroe 228, Ken Buchanan 214.

EVERYTHINGS (288): Mita Little 128, Vernon Mitchell 128, Wilmer Mitchell 223, Jack Mar 128.

CREEPY CRAWLERS (228): Bob Gar- 228, 128, Gloria Walla 228, Brian Allen 228, Tom Booth 228.

MIZZIFITS (217): Lloyd Wente 213, Tally Hayes 124, Peggy Wente 228, Cec Inauer 228.

BEES (222): Brian Burfield 128, Vi Burfield 128, Elsie Erb 128, Irs Erb 128.

BEAVERS (222): Franco Flora 228, Berrie Florin 128, Zef Morestin 124, Bud Poole 128.

GRASSERS (220): Bob Campbell 128, Roberta Mockler 128, Sam Dorosh 124, Kathy Lawrence 122.

TN-LAWS (227): June Descoeau 128, Audrey Benn 128, Bob Descoeau 128, Ron Benn 213.

LITTLE JIBS DESCEAUX (220): Jim Labord 224, Bill Martin 228, Bill Laws 228, Neil Parker 228.



Emotions ranging from casual confidence to calm concern are evident on the faces of coach Jack Lusk and the Maplettes' bench as other club members fight to stay ahead of Van-

cover Molsons in Saturday's B.C. finals' opener. Left to right are: Gail Bonner, Mary Foreman, Marilyn Johnston, Arlene Wallwin and Lusk. —(Jim Ryan photo)

## Timely Pressure Pays Off For Maplettes in Opener

By KEVAN HULL

Victoria Maplettes, putting the pressure on Vancouver Molsons when it was most needed, took the opening game in the best-of-three series for the B.C. senior women's basketball championship, 52-50, Saturday at Victoria High School.

Although only ahead, 25-23, at the intermission, Maplettes trailed only once, 17-18, and scored in bursts in the final half to force the visitors to play catch-up ball throughout.

Molsons managed to narrow

the gap to two points on the two occasions when Maplettes went out to eight-point leads in the final 20 minutes and narrowed the margin to one point with two minutes left, after Victoria had again gone ahead, 49-42.

However, Maplettes gained a little breathing room on foul shots by Angie Radonovich, Mary Coutts and Doreen Lusk and Molsons could answer with just one field basket by Mary MacDonald as the teams handed the ball to one another in the hectic final minute.

Mrs. Coutts, who topped

Maplettes with 17 points, and Miss Radonovich, who added 10 points, each missed foul shots in the final 30 seconds which would have clinched the battle.

But Molsons made the same mistake that plagued them through much of the game, a failure to attack quickly, and earned only one good shot in the dying seconds with Vale Kingswood missing with a jump-shot just before the final horn.

**BAD TURNOVERS**

Maplettes were guilty of several bad turnovers throughout the game but with Molsons using a two-platoon system, the Vancouver team lacked the continuity in play to take advantage of the Victoria mistakes.

And when the visitors appeared to be getting close, Diana Brozok, with 12 points, and Mrs. Coutts would stop the flow with long shots against the sagging zone defence used by Vancouver.

Making it easier in the final half for Vikettes was the foul trouble of Molson playing-coach Darlene Currie. The Canadian-team player hit for nine points in the opening half but picked up five personal fouls trying to get her team back into the game early in the second half, fouling out with more than 10 minutes left.

Second game of the series goes today in Vancouver.

MOLSONS (20) — Sheila Anderson 3, Barb Robertson 12, Pauline Genaick 10, Vale Kingswood, Mary MacDonald 2, Wendy Grant, Darlene Currie, Sarah Whidden 4, Maureen Kishleigh 4, Phyllis Allen 4.

MAPLETES (32) — Mary Coutts 17, Doreen Lusk 3, Angie Radonovich 10, Arlene Wallwin 5, Diana Brozok 12, Marilyn Johnston, Gail Bonner, Irene Smith, Steve Campbell 2, Marg Foreman, Renate Krueger.

## Littler Grabs Golf Lead With Nine-Under-Par 62

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Gene Littler exploded nine-under-par 62 Saturday and surged into the third-round lead of the \$100,000 Phoenix Open golf tournament which he has won twice before.

Littler, 38, carded eight birdies, and an eagle on the 18th hole, en route to equalling the Arizona Country Club competitive course record set Friday and matching the best competitive round of his pro career dating back to 1954.

The San Diego star, winner of the U.S. open in 1961, finished the 54 holes in 197, 16 strokes under par, and one stroke in front of Hugh Royer of Columbus, Ga. Royer shot a 65 for his 198 total.

Littler today goes into the final round of the Phoenix Open in the same leading spot he held at San Diego, where Jack Nicklaus beat him in the final round. Nicklaus, Arnold Palmer and Billy Casper, aren't playing in this event.

Jerry Abbott, of Boca Raton, Fla., shot one of the day's three scores of 63 to move into a four-way tie at 199. Also there were Don January, who bogied the last two holes to take a 67; Billy Maxwell, 68; and Jack Ewing, the newcomer from Bakersfield, Calif., who fired a 66.

Frank Beard, who shared the

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Gene Littler ..... 62-63-62-197

Hugh Royer ..... 66-67-65-198

Jack Ewing ..... 67-68-61-196

Don January ..... 67-65-61-198

Billy Maxwell ..... 65-65-65-195

Terry Wilcox ..... 67-68-63-198

Jim Winchester ..... 65-65-65-195

Rod Funseth ..... 65-65-65-195

Miller Barber ..... 65-70-66-201

Ray Floyd ..... 65-65-65-195

Tommy Jacobs ..... 71-68-65-204

Frank Beard ..... 65-65-65-195

Jerry Steinkamp ..... 70-67-65-202

Dave Hill ..... 67-71-63-201

Marlin Ross ..... 67-68-65-200

Tommy Aaron ..... 70-66-67-203

Bob Roebuck ..... 70-67-68-205

Dave Eichelberger ..... 69-65-68-202

Jerry McGee ..... 69-65-68-202

Bill Blanton ..... 66-67-67-200

Jack Montgomery ..... 69-65-68-200

Deane Beman ..... 67-67-67-201

Tommy Jacobs ..... 71-68-65-204

Howie Johnson ..... 65-65-65-195

Johnny Stevens ..... 71-62-71-204

Cahron Harris ..... 67-67-70-204

Charles Valpone ..... 69-67-70-206

Bob Lunn ..... 73-64-67-204

Frank Boynton ..... 71-66-67-204

Orville Moody ..... 68-68-68-204

Sam Crumpton ..... 70-65-70-205

Larry Ziegler ..... 65-70-70-205

George Knudson ..... 67-67-70-204

Walter Rudolph ..... 72-68-67-207

Fred Marti ..... 69-65-67-201

Rosa Coon ..... 69-70-67-206

Kermit Zarley ..... 71-67-67-205

Gardner Dickenson ..... 68-67-67-202

Al Balding ..... 67-71-67-205

Johnny Pott ..... 71-65-68-205

36 hole lead with Maxwell, faltered to a 71 and 202.

Littler won the Phoenix Open in 1955 and 1959, both times at the Arizona Country Club, and

## Fifth Straight For Player

DURBAN, South Africa (AP)—Gary Player, with a record eight-under-par 64 over the last 18 holes, raced away to an easy victory in the South African Open Golf championship Saturday.

It was his fifth successive victory in the event.

The black-garbed South African had rounds of 67, 70, 73 and 64 for an aggregate of 274 and won by six strokes. Trevor Wilkes, also of South Africa, was second.

## New Record

TORONTO (UPI) — Willie Davenport, the U.S. Olympic gold medalist in 110-meter hurdles with a 5.8 second clocking Friday night at the Telegram-Maple Leaf indoor games, Davenport broke the record he shared with Hayes Jones of 5.9 seconds.

## Robinson Wins In Manitoba

WINNIPEG (CP) — The Bob Robinson rink of Winnipeg won the Manitoba curling championship Saturday with a 10-4 victory over Paul Devlin, also of Winnipeg.

Devlin conceded in the 10th end of the third and final game of the best-of-three series to decide Manitoba's representative for the Canadian championships at Oshawa. Robinson won the opening game of the series, 18-7, Friday night. Devlin came back to win the second, 7-4, forcing the third game.

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## O'Keefes' Coach Plans Changes

Victoria O'Keefes, who re-

ceived another blow in a bid for playoff spot in the Pacific Coast Soccer League when West-

minster Labatts defeated Cros-

stia, 2-0, Saturday in Vancouver, will try a revolutionary lineup in their game today to try and break out of their prolonged slump.

The fourth-place Labatts, getting a goal in each half from winger Bob Metcalfe, moved three points ahead of Victoria and also hold five games in hand.

Coach Bill Abbott's O'Keefes will be concentrating on more striking power up the middle to-

day at 2 p.m. at Macdonald Park when they meet second-place Columbus.

Abbott plans to have Victoria work a variation of the 4-2-4 system, a 2-2-2 lineup with Ike McKay and Gill McIlraith working as twin centre forwards supported directly by wingers Pete Wilson and Dunc McCaig in an effort to bring the latter more into the play than in previous games.

Peter Brett and Bruce Twamley, filling in for the injured George Paul, will be in the link positions between forwards and the back wall of Brian Robinson, Ray Telford, Peter Roberts and Howie Anderson.

The rookie Twamley draws the key assignment of containing Columbus' fiery linkman Steve Djoric, who dominated the previous meeting of the clubs here when the Vancouver team rolled to a 4-1 victory with a strong second-half effort.



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## Bowling Roundup

## Town and Country Teams Win Three Junior Events

Bowlers from Town and Country teams won three of the four team events in the Youth Bowling Council Vancouver Island zone roll-offs at Gibson's Bowling Centre Saturday.

Town and Country teams won both senior YBC team events and the junior boys event at Gibson's.

At Duncan, the boys team beat out Gibson's representatives by eight points with a 2505 total. Wayne Gill (505), Rick Clarke (544), Tom Shea (509), Bill Whittier (615) and Dave Frankson (532) were the team members.

## EASIER FOR GIRLS

It was much easier for the senior girls. With Jackie Ramsdale (586), Fay Pickard (643), Kathy Pickard (480), Sandy Mabon (540) and Madelyn Westendale (579) totalling 2828. It had a 448-point margin over Esquimalt Bowldrome.

The junior girls team from Town and Country, led by Phil Gay's 848 series which included a 371 game, scored a 17-point victory over Gibson's. David Grissmith (571), Dave Drysdale (438), David Mann (509) and David White (597) were the other winning team members.

## At Santa Anita

## Solid Favorite Wins Handicap

BOGOTA, Columbia (AP) — Bob Benning, Pleasantville, N.J., fired a four-under-par 68 Saturday and moved into a share of the top spot after 54 holes of the Los Lagartos Open golf tournament.

Benning's 207 put him in a tie for the third-round lead with Alfonso Bohorquez of Colombia, who had a third-round 72.

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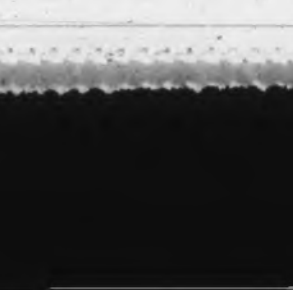
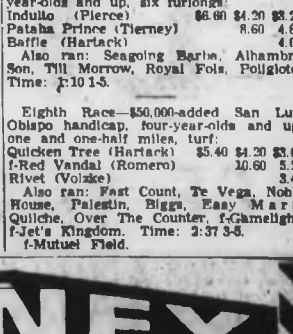
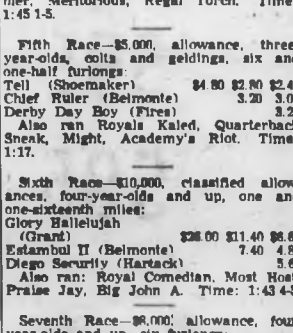
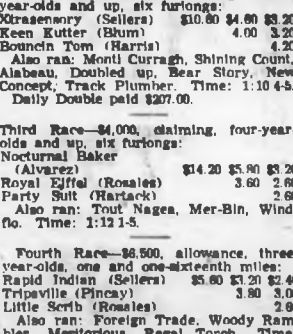
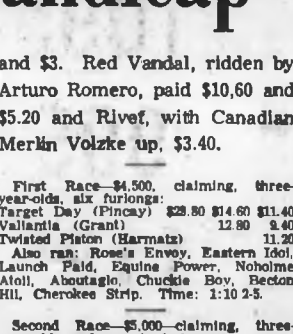
Cathy Wilkinson (498) totalling 2613.

Esquimalt bowlers took the boys and girls singles titles in the junior competition. Stephen Bluet, with a 628 series, beat Town and Country's Ken Clarke by 19 points while Karen Roberts' 592 made her a 30-point winner over Colleen Gordon of Sooke.

Duncan bowlers won both seniors singles events. Don Kirkpatrick won by one point over Esquimalt's Lee York with a 660 total. Gibson's Robert Sindell was third with 607.

## FAN FARE

By WALT DITZEN



Heather Bronson of Duncan, with a 581 series, won by 45 points over Delores Miller of Rainbow Lanes in Sooke. Maureen Allison of Esquimalt was third with a 499 total.

Bob Karr, Jr., came within one ball of a perfect fivepin game Friday at Chemainus Bowls, missing the headpin on his last ball for a 440 total.

His other games in the mixed fivepin league were 334 and 264 for a record-setting 1038 series.

A 20-year-old Nanaimo fivepin record was broken last week when 21-year-old Leo Cummings put together games of 368, 371 and 267 for a 1006 total, breaking Art Denton's mark by four points.

Cummings, who has been bowling for about 10 years, did it in the Catalytic League at Pygmy Lanes.

Pygmy Lanes hosts a mixed doubles fivepin tournament next Sunday. It will be a three-game event, with 450 being used as the scratch figure and the maximum total for the averages of the partners. Handicap will be calculated on 70 per cent of the difference between the total average.

Shifts will be bowled at 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9 p.m. Entry fee is \$3.50 per couple.

Top scores reported last week:

## TENNIS

## Mayfair Lanes

Men—Bernie Nickels 627 (228, 300), Norm Rins 620 (231, 389), Mario De Cicco 613 (232, 381), Andy McLeary 605 (231, 374), Don Ingham 599 (231, 368), Stan Wooley 590 (230, 360), Don Ingham 585 (225), Ray Rivers 582 (217), Lorne Creighton 551 (221), Sheldon Nip 540 (241), Don Shaw 539 (208), Terry Moody 536 (211, 328), Dave Alexander 535 (209, 326), Ted Rutherford 527 (201), Jim Tang 504 (200), Rick Baker 502 (200), Ken Garland 501 (201), Gil Wong 529 (211), Ken Pollock 523 (211), Rick Taylor 523 (224), Beth Chandler 508 (200), John Pennington 507 (213), John Edge 505 (221), Bill Prior 503 (221), Sam 502 (221), Bill Metz 503 (200), Jack Thomson 553, Chuck Bennett 555, Con McBeth 524 (202), Ed Severn 524, Tom Rute 524, Bruce Lyle 523 (205), Chuck Mallett 523 (200), Dick Dyer 523 (204), Joe Dyer 521 (204), Jack Fisher 521 (204), Mel Davison 521 (204), Vince Brown 520 (201), Vince Brown 520 (201), Women—Muriel, Doolworth 610 (230), Peggy Pearson 518 (223), Anne Goodman 505 (201), Ev Norman 505 (212, 200), Emory Pines 501 (200), Rita Moody 515 (214), Lloyd Hanson 504 (200), Rita Hilda Spearman 522, Oby Lobbezoo 521, Kay Cook 514, Sheila Devoy 515, Joe Bennett 511, Elsie Barnes 510, Ida Veleau 509 (213), Kathy Latham 508, Barb McNeill 505, Leona Peterson 504.

## Pygmy Lanes (Nanaimo)

Men—Don Carhart 595 (235, 360), Jim 594 (231, 359), John Sadou 591 (234, 358), Jim 590 (231, 358), Bob 584 (234, 358), Lloyd Hanson 504 (200), Rita Hilda Spearman 522, Oby Lobbezoo 521, Kay Cook 514, Sheila Devoy 515, Joe Bennett 511, Elsie Barnes 510, Ida Veleau 509 (213), Kathy Latham 508, Barb McNeill 505, Leona Peterson 504.

## FIVEPIN

## Gibson's Recreations

Men—Don Carhart 595 (235, 360), Jim 594 (231, 359), John Sadou 591 (234, 358), Jim 590 (231, 358), Bob 584 (234, 358), Lloyd Hanson 504 (200), Rita Hilda Spearman 522, Oby Lobbezoo 521, Kay Cook 514, Sheila Devoy 515, Joe Bennett 511, Elsie Barnes 510, Ida Veleau 509 (213), Kathy Latham 508, Barb McNeill 505, Leona Peterson 504.

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## Capital City Bowldrome

Men—Dick Lapp 525 (233), Doug Rouse 708, Irene Bowe 725.

## Pygmy Lanes (Nanaimo)

Men—Richard Beverslock 609 (300), Doug Wilson 719, John McDonald 734, Les Wottenhead 722 (300), Kent Anthony 707, Owen Lohr 702.

## Women—Olivia Edgar 715 (308), Nancy Geddes 741, Edna Lindal 708.

## Simon Fraser

## Tops Alaska

BURNABY (CP)—Simon Fraser University took an 81-76 victory Saturday at University of Alaska picked up a string of fouls trying to force the pace in an exhibition college basketball game.

SFU, which lost 66-65 to the Alaskans Friday night, led 37-23 at the half and was ahead 63-51 early in the final quarter. Alaska closed to within three points but blew chances by taking fouls under pressure.

## New Coaches

## GREEN BAY, Wisc. (AP)

Zekie Bratkowski, 37, called by many the finest backup quarterback in the National Football League, has signed as an assistant coach of Green Bay Packers. Veteran tackle Forrest Gregg was named an assistant.



Fourth Straight

Ron Northcott of Calgary skipped his rink to a fourth straight Alberta Men's Curling Championship Saturday at Calgary completing a four-game sweep with a 10-6 victory over Al Delmage of Yellowknife, the Northwest Territories representative. The victory moved Northcott into his sixth Canadian championship to be held March 3-7 at Oshawa.

## Vikings, Saxons Trim James Bay

University of Victoria rugby teams, leading the first and second divisions of the Victoria Rugby Union, scored impressive wins Saturday in matches against James Bay Athletic Association teams.

First division Vikings blanked JBAA, 25-0, at Macdonald Park. Paul Carnes and Gary Johnson scored two tries each, Neil Bonnell, Reg Hoole and Dave Slater scored one try each, Al Foster kicked a convert and

## Weather Wrecks Schedule But Soccer Pools Continue

LONDON (CP) — Leeds United opened up a three-point gap at the top of English League soccer's First Division on Saturday when Liverpool was defeated.

For the second consecutive week, the British soccer schedule was wrecked by the weather. Thirty-four games—23 in England, 11 in Scotland—were called off because of snow, frost and ice.

## POOLS KEEP GOING

Companies which operate pools set up a panel of experts to assess the results of unplayed games so millions of bettors would not be disappointed.

But where there was play, there was plenty of action as players fought to keep their balance on treacherous surfaces. Lowly Nottingham Forest pro-

duced the biggest surprise when it became the first team to triumph at Liverpool this season, winning, 2-0.

## LORIMER SCORES

Leeds established itself as favorite for the league crown by beating Chelsea, 1-0, Peter Lorimer scored the vital goal in the 56th minute.

Winger Ronnie Rees was the man who inspired Nottingham. He provided the centres for Joe Baker and Barry Lyons to score.

## FLOUNDERERS IN SNOW

Liverpool floundered in the snow and lost its first game since Dec. 14.

Jimmy Greaves, Britain's leading marksman, scored his 30th goal of the season to enable Tottenham to draw, 1-1, with London rival Queen's Park Rangers. The little inside-forward slammed home a pass from Roger Morgan, signed by Tottenham from Queen's Park last week.

## ARSENAL BEATS BURNLEY

Fourth-placed Arsenal kept up its championship challenge with a 2-0 home victory over young Burnley. Centre-forward Bobby Gould scored both goals.

The only other two First Division games ended in draws. European champion Manchester United fought back from two goals behind to draw, 2-2, with Wolverhampton Wanderers. There was no score in a Southampton-Newcastle game.

## MOST POSTPONED

Only five Second Division games survived the freeze. The best performance came from Bristol City which sunk highly-rated Carlisle with a three-goal barrage in eight minutes.

It was so cold at Millwall that three Portsmouth players wore gloves. The game ended 0-0.

In the Third Division, promotion-chasing Plymouth Argyle scored a valuable 2-1 away win over Orient. Richard Reynolds celebrated his 21st birthday by scoring Argyle's first goal in the first minute.

Aldershot moved to the top of Division IV by beating Chesterfield, 2-0, at home.

## THREE GAMES PLAYED

Scottish League giants Celtic and Glasgow Rangers were both out of action because of the weather and only three First Division games were played.

First Division: Arsenal 2, Burnley 0; Leeds 1, Chelsea 0; Liverpool 0, Notts Forest 2; Queens Park Rangers 1, Tottenham 1; Southampton 0, Newcastle 0; Wolverhampton 2, Manchester United 2.

Second Division: Aston Villa 1, Bury 0; Blackpool 2, Chesterfield 0; Fulham 0, Charlton 1; Millwall 1, Portsmouth 0; Oxford 0, Huddersfield 0.

Third Division: Barrow 0, Swindon 2; Brighton 0, Walsall 1; Luton 1, Brentford 2; Torquay 2, Watford 1.

Fourth Division: Aldershot 2, Chesterfield 0; Lincoln 1, Southport 2; Newport 1, Bradford City 3; Wokingham 0, Chester 0.

Fifth Division: Arbroath 0, Dunfermline 1; Dundee 1, Dundee United 1; St. Mirren 1, Airdrieonians 1.

Sixth Division: Ayr United 2, East Fife 1; Berwick 1, Stranraer 3; Clydebank 1, Montrose 0; Queen's Park 2, Forth 2.

Sevens League: Colonshe 1, Laris 0; Portadown 0, Ards 0.

## Vikettes Third In Volleyball

## VANCOUVER

University of Victoria Vikettes won two of four final round matches to finish third in the Western Canada Intercollegiate Athletic Association women's volleyball tournament Saturday.

Vikettes dropped their opening match to University of Alberta Pandas and lost their second match to University of Manitoba Bisonettes, who went on to win the tournament with a four-win, no-loss record. Vikettes then defeated University of Calgary Dinmies and University of British Columbia Thunderettes.

Pandas, with a 3-1 record,

were second, Dinmies finished fourth with one win in four matches and UBC were last winless in four matches.

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If you want to put a different taste into your fish, try cooking them in salt. Trout, salmon, steelhead, or even cod pickled in salt can be just out of this world.

It was just too miserable to go out steelheading at Campbell River during our recent trip. We dressed in chest waders, rigged the tackle and got ready to go, but when we opened the door the chilly blast and a blizzard of snow nearly bowled us over. Instead of going fishing we brewed another coffee and sat down with guide John Ebert and had an enlightening conversation about catching, preparing and cooking fish.

"You should never use fresh water to wash fish, or it will spoil," Ebert advised, and he applies this principle to cleaning fish as well as to preparing them for the pickling crock.

The long and the best way to prepare fish for pickling is to "cook" them in a crock.

First put a layer of rock salt on the bottom of the crock. Any size crock from one gallon to 10 gallons is fine, depending upon how much fish you want to pickle.

Then place a layer of filleted salmon, trout, steelhead or cod, skin-side-down on the salt at the bottom of the crock. Then prepare another layer of salt over the fillets, and carry on layering fish and salt, flesh to flesh, skin to skin.

You can make as many layers as you want, adjusting it to the amount of fish you have... and you can keep adding to it.

Then leave the fish in the crock from three weeks to more than a year.

The fish will automatically brine in the salt.

When you finish preparing one lot of fillets, put a heavier layer of salt on top, then a plate and a rock on top.

When you are ready to use the fish, take it out and skin off the brine.

Soak the fish in fresh water for five or six hours depending upon the length of time it has been salted. If it has been cooked in the salt brine for longer than — say six months — wash it for 12 hours. All this does is take the salt out. Some like it saltier than others, so it is a matter of taste, by trial and error.

When you have the fillets soaked, cut them into bite-sized pieces.

Now you are ready to pickle.

For three cups of undiluted vinegar use one to two cups of



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sugar, depending upon how sweet a tooth you have.

Put this mixture on stove and bring it to a simmer.

Add pickling spice — how much you use is a matter of choice and based upon experimentation — but use five or six tablespoonsful or more.

Let simmer for half an hour or more to release the flavors of the spices.

While this is simmering take a bowl and cover the bottom with a layer of fish. Cover the layer with some sliced onions and repeat the layering to the desired amount.

Then take your vinegar-sugar-spice mixture off the stove and let it cool.

When it is cool, dump it in the bowl and let it sit for 12 to 24 hours... 24 hours is best.

"Then put it on the table and watch the wolves go to work," says Ebert.

The fish won't really be raw. The salt will have "cooked" it.

The same method may be used for pickled herring, but herring must be scaled before brining.

A wire brush is effective for scaling herring.

Herring caught before Christmas are better than those caught later when they are more advanced into spawning stages, advises Ebert.

If you wish quick-pickled fish, fillet and take the skin off the fish, cut into bite-sized pieces. Put it in a bowl and to every quart of fish use a half to ¾ quart of table or rock salt. Cover this with vinegar, put in fridge and let sit for six to eight days.

Then take it out and soak in freshwater for four to six hours.

Then follow the last of the previously described pickling procedure with the same spice and sugar combination.

Let it sit for 24 hours and it will be ready to eat.

## Strip Mining Report On Agenda Monday

A first-hand report on strip mining, illustrated with slides and movies, will be given by B.C. Wildlife Federation executive director Howard Paish at the general meeting of Victoria Fish and Game Club at 8 p.m. Monday.

The meeting will be open to the public and will be held in the Newcombe auditorium of the new provincial museum, and not as usual in the Goldstream clubhouse. Mr. Paish has just returned from California and Kentucky where he visited open-pit mining operations.

## Nothing to Hide'

## Young Canadians Open Up

VANCOUVER (CP) — An open-book policy has been adopted by the Company of Young Canadians, says Claude Vidal, 38, of Montreal, the company's new executive director.

"We have nothing to hide," he said. "We have had an image in the past which has been unpopular with some people. They wanted to know who we were and what we were doing."

Vidal, on a tour of the country to assess the CYC, said he is getting involved in his new job "just like the volunteers."

He said a hippie label was hung on the organization by the press which criticized unconventional individuals within the government-financed organization and represented them as typical of the group.

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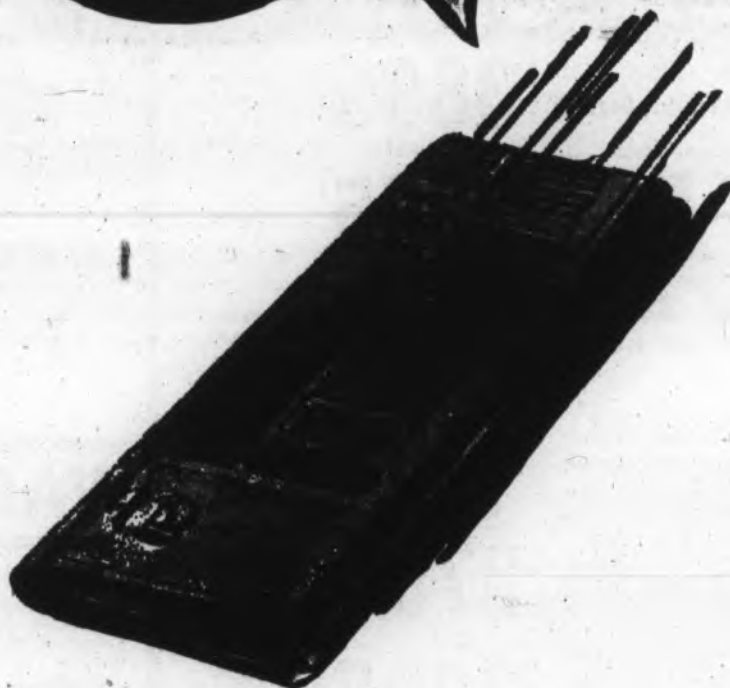
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# Bombs, Terrorism

## Raids Catch Nazi Group

MENLO PARK, Calif. (UPI)—Nine members of a Nazi-style "Bible study group" were arrested Saturday as suspects in a series of 31 bombings and other terrorist acts against liberal and leftwing groups on the San Francisco Peninsula.

Early-morning raids carried out simultaneously by 40 officers from five communities also netted 30 guns — including shotguns, rifles and revolvers — 75 pounds of black powder, bomb-making equipment and pictures of Adolf Hitler and slain American Nazi Party chief George Lincoln Rockwell.

Menlo Park police chief Victor Cizancas told a news conference, in a room crowded with confiscated Nazi armbands

and flags, that he allowed himself to be portrayed as a "commie dupe" so an undercover agent could gain the confidence of the suspects, identified as members of "Society of Man," which passed itself off as a Bible study group.

The nine were charged with conspiring to sabotage and commit "unlawful acts of force and violence as a means of accomplishing or effecting political change."

### Gun Charges Added

They also face various gun and bomb manufacturing charges and were specifically charged with bombing and terrorizing a class on Mao Tse-tung held at a Palo Alto church.

Since October the homes, cars and headquarters of liberal and leftwing persons and groups on the peninsula have been hit by bombings and other terrorist acts.

The targets included the Mid-Peninsula Free University; experimental Pacific High School; Probe, an East Palo Alto anti-poverty group; the liberal

Kepler's bookstores; Palo Alto City Councilman Kirk Comstock and the anti-poverty Kennedy Action Corps.

Cizancas said police "were attempting to connect the suspects with the other bombings."

Eight suspects were arrested during the early-morning raids. Steven Brent McClean, 20, Menlo Park, surrendered at police headquarters about 12 hours later.

The raids followed a three-week investigation in which Menlo Park officer Armand Lareau, 25, acted as an undercover agent.

### 'Fed Up' with Chief

Lareau passed himself off as a right-wing policeman "fed up with his commie dupe superior officer," Cizancas said.

Lareau attended several meetings at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McGhee in Menlo Park until sufficient evidence was developed for issuance of warrants, Cizancas said. Other officers had members of the study group under surveillance for three weeks.

The chief said Lareau took phony documents on left wing groups — supposedly stolen from police files — and a spurious letter of reprimand to

the suspects to gain their confidence.

"He also let them dry-fire guns at his head," Cizancas said. "They would put blanks in the gun, put it to his head and fire to see his reaction. Then they would laugh."

Those arrested included McGhee, 34, a dental technician, Menlo Park; his 32-year-old wife, Walter Lamar Petty, 24, painter, Redwood City; Robert Lake, 24, clerk, Redwood City; J. D. Cooney, 50, chemical engineer, Menlo Park; Donald Smith, 22, clerk, Palo Alto; Don Minto, 24, technician, Palo Alto; and Douglas Maher, 18, service station attendant, Redwood City.

### Bail \$12,500 Each

Bail for the suspects was set at \$12,500 each and arraignment scheduled for Monday.

Minto was also identified as the founder of Palo Alto Citizens to Uphold the Second Amendment, which was formed last summer to oppose a proposed city gun control ordinance. His group, which had about 30 members, threatened the ordinance's sponsor, Councilman Grant Spaeth, with a recall campaign if the bill passed.

The bombings began in October and continued through Thursday night, when the Mao

Tse-tung class at Palo Alto Unitarian Church was bombed and tear-gassed. The suspects were specifically charged with involvement in that incident.

A favorite target of the bombers was Mid-Peninsula Free University, an ultraliberal Palo Alto institution featuring courses in nudity, sex, non-violence and politics. Both offices and home of its faculty members were bombed.

Menlo Park police were joined in the raids Friday night and Saturday morning by officers from Palo Alto, Redwood City, Mountain View and Los Altos.

### No Possessions

## Religious Law Foils Synagogue Bandits

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—members of the congregation who had ordered them out of the synagogue.

The 20 worshippers attending service at Anshe Shalom Synagogue were obeying the religious rule which forbids carrying worldly possessions on the Sabbath, from sunset Friday to sunset Saturday.

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### Four Injured

## Four Targets Feel Puerto Rico Blasts

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Four persons were injured, one of them a policeman. The other three were Puerto Rican women.

FOUR SPOTS — The bombs were planted in cans at the Sheraton and Howard Johnson Hotels in the Condado section, the police station in Hato Rey, and the entrance to the Government Development Bank in Santurce.

The explosion at the Howard Johnson hotel shattered a glass door and four plate glass windows of the hotel's restaurant as well as the windows of an adjoining beauty shop. The force of the blast also damaged an automobile parked nearby and injured three women.

Shortly afterward, a bomb exploded in the nearby Sheraton hotel at the passageway from the hotel swimming pool area to the beach. The explosion at the Sheraton hotel caused neither damage nor injuries, police said.

POLICEMAN HURT — Earlier, a bomb at the entrance to the bank, which was closed, knocked out plate glass windows. Another bomb exploded in a trash can at the entrance to the Government Development Bank in Santurce, where policeman Rosado was injured by metal fragments.

Rosado and the three women injured at the Howard Johnson hotel were taken to hospitals for treatment. Their conditions were reported as satisfactory.

## Team Explodes Book Package

MONTREAL (UPI)—An Army demolition team blew up a "package" at Montreal International Airport late Saturday only to find the package contained harmless books and rags.

Police said "a person approached a bus and put a large package on one of the seats. Then he ran away. And we received a call that a bus was going to explode."

Police found the package to be large and securely wrapped. They called in an army demolition team and cordoned off roads in the vicinity of the airport.

### Prize

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## Martian Probe Switched To Meet Launch Date

CAPE KENNEDY (UPI)—The U.S. Space Agency said Saturday it will switch its Mariner 6 Mars probe from a damaged rocket to another launcher and still attempt to meet its Feb. 24 launch date.

The original Mariner 6 Atlas was damaged Friday when it lost gas pressure and began deflating like a leaking balloon. The gas loss was stopped, but the rocket's paper-thin stainless steel skin was wrinkled in one section like a piece of foil.

The space agency said the damaged Atlas will be shipped back to the General Dynamics-Convair plant at San Diego, Calif., for repair.

Since a two-month long Mars launch opportunity comes only once every two years, the space agency prepared two

Mariners for launch a month apart to double chances of success.

The second Mariner is scheduled for launch March 24, but engineers were following an accelerated checkout schedule on its rocket to have it ready for flight in February if necessary.

Because of this, engineers are able to move the Mariner 6 probe to the Mariner 7 launcher and still meet the original Feb. 24 launch timetable.

Another Atlas is being shipped to the Cape later this month and it will be used to

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## Turmoil Spans Nation

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Unrest on U.S. college campuses continued Saturday from coast to coast with threats of renewed turmoil from students.

• A class boycott continued at Duke University and a convocation was cancelled on the advice of North Carolina Adjutant General Claude Bowers.

• Striking students at the University of Wisconsin held a seven-hour dance Saturday to raise money for their protest. They vowed new disruptions Monday.

• The University of Chicago announced the administration building, which student sit-ins vacated Friday after a 16-day occupation, may remain closed for a week to eradicate the damage done by the demonstrators.

• At San Francisco State College, scene of the oldest student strike, hecklers — including the director of the black studies program — disrupted a faculty meeting Friday by shouting "down with the puppet" at acting president Dr. S. I. Hayakawa. Four persons, including the director, were arrested.

• Protesters vowed more demonstrations at the University of Massachusetts unless there are "substantial changes" at the school.

• The Afro-American Society, which occupied the communications building at Brandeis University for 11 days in January, announced Friday it was dissatisfied with progress toward meeting its demands.

• More than 1,500 University of Michigan students began a rent strike to force landlords in Ann Arbor to make improvements in off-campus housing.

• Drama Expert Eric Bentley, who criticized Columbia University's administration for bringing police to the campus during last year's student revolt, announced his resignation from the school's faculty.

• A Congressional reception for 500 college newspaper editors was disrupted in Washington Friday night by reporters for an "underground" press service, who threw bottles and shouted slogans.

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## Trinidad Sends Minister To Computer Fire Site

PORT OF SPAIN (Reuters) — Senator George Richards, Trinidad and Tobago attorney-general, left Saturday for Montreal to make a personal assessment of the situation at Sir George Williams University where some Trinidad students were arrested with others on conspiracy charges.

Ninety-seven persons were arrested after a two-week occupation of the university culminated Tuesday in the destruction of the university's \$1,000,000 computer centre.

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Before leaving here, Richards said the Trinidad and Tobago government would provide legal aid to the students "regardless of the wrongs or rights of the matter."

The government's decision to send the attorney-general to Canada was taken after Prime Minister Eric Williams conferred with the leader of the opposition, Vernon Jordan.

The two agreed on the immediate course of action for the students who were arrested at the university and held with-

out bail this week, following a riot at the university.

There is widespread concern in this country about the incident, particularly as it has occurred in a country which has been showing continued interest in helping the economic development of Trinidad and Tobago and other Commonwealth Caribbean countries.

In Georgetown, Guyana, the external affairs ministry has requested Guyana's ambassador to the United States and Canada, Sir John Carter, to look after the interests of any Guy-

anese students involved in the disorders.

One of the Guyanese students named was the son of Guyanese opposition leader Cheddi Jagan. At a news conference today, Jagan said he had been in telephone contact with Canada and had requested someone to provide legal aid if his son should need such aid.

The student rampage started as a protest against the makeup of a university committee hearing charges of racism levelled by six West Indian students against an assistant professor.

## NDP Youth Wing Asks Defence Fund Support

OTTAWA (CP) — The youth wing of the New Democratic Party appealed in a statement Friday for contributions of funds to support students of Sir George Williams University who were arrested Tuesday in Montreal.

Gordon Flowers, federal or-

ganizer for the New Democratic Youth, said: "While we do not support the destruction of university property, we feel that the students were not totally responsible for the damage."

"In order to prepare an adequate case, students will require substantial contributions to a defence fund."

## Anti-Radical Professors

# Intimidation Claimed

VANCOUVER (CP) — Four Simon Fraser University faculty members said Friday they were subjected to harassment and intimidation after they opposed radicals in the political science, sociology and anthropology (PSA) department.

They are Prof. R. P. Srivastava, of the department of social and philosophical foundations who was a member of the PSA department until last May 1; archeology professors Dr. Roy Carlson and Dr. Phillip Hobler, who were under the PSA department until earlier this month when the SFU senate transferred responsibility for archeology to the faculty of arts; and Dr. A. H. Somjee, a full professor in the PSA department now on leave writing a book in England.

### OPINIONS REPRESSED

The four men told of being shouted down when they tried to express opinions at departmental meetings, of being treated "vindicatively" by departmental authorities and of being called "reactionary bastards" because they wouldn't go along with the radical majority.

The faculty members charged

that a "revolutionary spirit" has been fostered in SFU students to serve the department's purposes and said bitter strife in the PSA department led to telephone threats and a variety of other actions against non-radicals.

Comments by the four followed disclosures earlier by a former PSA department head, Dr. D. G. Bettison, that a

series of anonymous threats were made against him by telephone before he resigned as PSA head last year.

Dr. Bettison said his wife received seven phone calls in April and May of 1968 in which the caller said someone was going to get him (her husband).

SFU history professor Allan Cunningham earlier told a Uni-

versity of British Columbia audience an anonymous threat had been made against the children of an SFU faculty member.

The four professors told of long and bitter infighting in a department sharply divided between radicals and moderates. Prof. Mordecai Briemberg, current head of the department, said Saturday he had no comment to make on the statements.

## Student Political Party Urged To Fight Education Program

VANCOUVER (CP) — Rob Walsh, Simon Fraser University student president, proposed Saturday the new British Columbia Union of Students start its own political party to oppose the Social Credit government in the next provincial election.

He made the proposal at a conference of student leaders of all but two of B.C.'s higher education institutions, representing about 40,000 students.

The Simon Fraser student leader said that if the BCUS campaigns against Social Credit educational policies in the next election, the government could accuse students of being a tool of one of the opposition parties.

He suggested the student party as an alternative by which students could "maintain political virginity and stay out of the NDP — Liberal — Social Credit thing."

Mr. Walsh said the BCUS could nominate candidates in certain ridings and oppose Social Credit educational policies through its candidates' campaigns.

Karl Acton, SFU student delegate, opposed the party idea. He said the students would lose an election and it is more important for them to put regular party candidates on the spot at political meetings.

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# Union Plans Camp Survey Of Island Log Shortage

PORT ALBERNI — Members of Port Alberni IWA local 1-85, from four MacMillan Island divisions, will discuss the current log shortage this week.

The decision was made Friday after union officials and company representatives met in the Port Alberni IWA office to study the provincial and island position.

The talks followed opposition of the union to a company proposal that loggers should work Saturdays. Earlier this week MacMillan Island announced that the graveyard

shift at the Alberni Pacific division would close Monday.

However, Maurice Corbett, local IWA financial secretary, said Friday that the company had decided to defer the closedown.

He said that the possibility of milder weather increasing production was given as a reason for deferment. The closedown would have put 127 men out of work.

Wood operations have been at a standstill since just before Christmas. They restarted last week but production was estimated at only 25 per cent of normal output because of thick snow and cold weather.

A union statement said there was "frank discussion" at Friday's meeting.

"There would appear to be a shortage and a need for extra production at this time," said the statement.

"There was a review of the alternatives of overtime but these only partially fill the bill. Extra crews and night-

shift work are being tried and the normal inventory of a 24-month log supply in the Alberni Inlet is well below safe operating levels.

"Daily consumption of about 2,500,000 board feet used by local mills is not being maintained by the logging divisions of Cameron, Franklin River, Sproat and Kennedy Lake."

## Chief Hits MLA's 'Half-Truths'

By NANCY BROWN

A Sacred backbencher has been employing half-truths to appease the racial bigots amongst his constituents, says Tsarlip chief Philip Paul.

Dr. H. R. McDiarmid (Alberni) told the Legislature Thursday that the personal uncleanliness of many Indian youngsters posed a serious threat to the integration of Indian children in his local school district.

"I take exception to these political outbursts by members of the provincial government in

reference to the Indian people," said Mr. Paul.

"Particularly when it is quite obvious that they are endeavoring to pacify their constituents at our expense."

"This is particularly so when it is quite obvious that they are endeavoring to justify their apathy and lack of responsibility to the native citizens of this province."

Mr. Paul said only three of the 40 houses on Brentwood reserve have running water—a up with money left over after the Indian residential school board on Kuper Island went to Expo in 1967 by public subscription.

"We admit that many of our people are poor and that some of us don't have ready access to cleanliness. But what the Indian is today is the shameful product of our Canadian society," he said.

"What this Sacred is in fact doing, is employing half-truths to appease the racial bigots amongst his constituents to enlarge his own mandate at the polls in his next election."

Mr. Paul said it took no act of courage to tell the appalling conditions the Indian people are forced to endure despite the over-advised richness of this province.

He said the federal govern-

ment not only pays \$2.50 per capita for each Indian child in an integrated school but also contributes to capital costs of construction in the schools they attend.

"What they are receiving in the name of education leaves something to be desired, believe me," he added "And that doesn't only apply to the Indian children."

"Dr. McDiarmid should also tell his overtaxed constituents that we pay every tax to the province with the exception of the land tax and we get very little in return," said Mr. Paul.

required careful consideration before a final decision was made.

"However, it became apparent to me, on my visit to Ottawa, that the projects initiated by me have to be pursued, and we must have an active member there to pursue them."

Among the projects which Mr. Paul mentioned were Port Alberni waterfront expansion, a proposed marina park on the island's west coast, development of Goose Spit area in Comox-Courtenay for regional recreation purposes and harbor development, and television development for the northern Island area.

and if I am successful, I intend to campaign even harder."

On Friday the government was given six months in which to set a date for the byelection.

Speaker Lucien Lamoureux gave the Commons formal notice that the seat had been declared vacant following the court decision.

Mr. Paul said that although he had never felt he would not seek nomination, he thought the whole situation

### Russian Visit Speech Topic

An illustrated talk on her recent trip to Russia, Siberia and Mongolia will be given by Dr. Joyce Clearhue at 8 p.m. Thursday in the Douglas Building cafeteria at a public meeting of the Theta Park Nature Sanctuary Association.

### Paddles Open Scout Week

Seven crews of Rover Scouts will put their canoes into the Gorge just below the Gorge Bridge rapids at 2 p.m. today for the start of a race to the Inner Harbor. The race opens Boy Scout Week.

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Confedman Paulsen winces at the thought that those votes might seriously have affected the election. To him that isn't funny.

Now, after a hard and humiliating defeat at the polls, Pat is picking up the threads of his life. He plans to run for the presidency again in 1972 because he still is stuck with considerable campaign literature and stacks of books he has written.



Paulsen

But in the interim what will loser Paulsen do?

"People ask me about that," the long-faced campaigner said. "And I didn't have an answer until I stepped out of the bathtub one morning and looked into the mirror. Then the answer was apparent—sports and physical fitness."

Paulsen suffers delusions about his physical attributes. Don Knotts and Phyllis Diller have better chances to play Tarzan than Pat.

Apprised of this, Paulsen's visage contorted in pain. Sorrowfully, he said, "You wouldn't say that if you'd seen me at the Wilma P. Rutherford Manual Arts High School where I starred in football."



## BACKSTAGE

with  
**Patrick O'Neill**

Bastion Theatre has made a switch in musicals for its final production of the season.

Anything Goes by Cole Porter will be presented May 9 to 17, replacing Girl Crazy by the same author.

When artistic director Peter Manning read the book of Girl Crazy, he found it would take far too much rewriting to bring it up-to-date.

Rumple Stiltzkin, a musical for children and adults with a strong sense of fun, continues Saturday afternoons at the McPherson Playhouse March 1 to 22.

Bastion will use members of its regular company, most now on tour, in Sleeping Beauty, Easter week.

The play is by Chris Higgins, who wrote Please Don't Sneeze.

Stuart Baker, who has been working on productions in Victoria and Vancouver, will stay here for a while, teaching drama.

His next assignment is Hay

Fever by Noel Coward at the McPherson in April.

Players' Club at University of Victoria has cancelled The Brig, scheduled for the last week in February.

The production of this strong anti-war play had been scheduled for the Phoenix Theatre.

Instead, Player's Club will produce three one-act plays in the second week of March.

Victoria Theatre Guild has lined up productions for May and June at Langham Court.

In May, the company will present a farce called Running Riot by Derek Benfield. It is directed by Bert Farr.

In June, Allan Purdy will direct Foot's Paradise, with Betty Mayne and Sheila Litt as two women members of the British aristocracy who have come upon dim days.

Bastion Theatre's touring company will be back home at the end of this month, and will spend the whole of March producing the tour package in the Greater Victoria area.

This month, the tour is hitting centres like Nelson, Trail, Penticton and Kelowna.

By the end of March, the company will have played 63 performances in just seven weeks.

One of the newest members of the company is Madeline Ponich.

She is a dancer from the Win Shaw Dance Studio, and she played Tiger Lily in Peter Pan at the McPherson.

Madeline is playing Louka in Arms and the Man, and the title role in Red Riding Hood.

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## Carney Shuns Sewers

NEW YORK (Special) — Actor-comedian Art Carney wants to lose the "sewer image" he has gained through many years as sewer worker Ed Norton on the Jackie Gleason CBS television show.

Carney last week turned down an invitation from Chandler, Ark., to open its new \$2,000,000 sewage disposal plant. His manager gave this reason: "For professional reasons we are playing down 'the sewer image. We know for a fact that

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# Festival Prospects Boom

Things are booming for the Victoria Music Festival. This year entries are down slightly



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but the entries in the classes involving large numbers of children are up.

The school choir division has 15 entries which could involve 1,125 young singers if each school sends in the maximum 75 choir members.

The pop groups are still staying away from the festival. There has only been a single entry in this class so far.

The classical guitar has four entries and the organ has attracted a total of seven entries in junior and senior events.

Publicity director Betty Alexander said "We are really excited about the entries and it looks as if we are going to have an attractive and interesting festival."

The Victoria City Chordmen are offering a night of



Rondeau

musical events to be held in Canada.

The finals of the Canadian College Music Championships and the North American College Music Championships will be held at the CNE from Aug. 20 to 23.

College students from all of Canada's colleges and universities will have an opportunity to compete for national championships in popular music, folk music and jazz categories and then meet the national champions from the United States for the North American titles.

Top music personalities have served as judges for the event. When the finals were held in St. Louis judges included Henry Mancini, Stan Kenyon, Billy May, Les Brown and Neal Hefti.

Anyone interested in sending in an audition tape can contact me for the address and general rules.

The Old Forge is going to start talents nights Wednesday. The idea is to hold them each and every Wednesday with a top prize of \$250 after 16 weeks of competition.

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the Victoria Symphony Orchestra, conducted by  
Lazlo Gail. Concert will include Chopin's E minor  
Concerto.  
Information—382-7141, local 313

## What's Next

Today — Talented students' concert, Musical Art Society, McPherson Playhouse, 2:30 p.m.

Today — Playboy of the Western World, Uvic Theatre and Theatre Guild, Langham Court Theatre, 8 p.m.

Monday — Ray Orbison show, Memorial Arena, 8 p.m.  
Tuesday — Don Kyle Singers, McPherson Playhouse, 8:30 p.m.

Wednesday — James Dick, pianist, Victoria Symphony Society, McPherson, 8:30 p.m.  
Saturday — Parade of Harmony, Victoria Barbershoppers and Sweet Adelines, McPherson Playhouse, 2 and 8 p.m.

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ANN LANDERS

Dear Ann Landers: Please say something about kids who walk down the street with their arms around one another's waists, paw each other in public and kiss in the school corridors. Yesterday two couples were necking up a storm on the back steps and a teacher almost broke her neck when she tripped over them.

My closest girl friend told me her steady threatened to drop her unless she allowed him to cross her publicly. He said it was his way of advertising their relationship so the other guys would lay off.

Do you have an opinion? — HANDS OFF.

## Fair Warning, Lady

Dear Ann Landers: Jim and I are being married in four weeks.

Last night I asked Jim to promise that there would be no reading of newspapers at the breakfast table. He insisted that he had ALWAYS read the newspaper at breakfast, that it was a ritual with him and I was asking too much.

Jim also made the point that he is not in a very good humor in the morning and we would both be better off if he stayed behind the newspaper. In my view he is being selfish and obstinate. Please comment. — T. T.

## Mom's Splendid Job

I am 31, unmarried, pay the rent and grocery bills. My brother eats and sleeps, criticizes, complains and keeps me in a constant state of turmoil. I have never been able to buy decent clothes or take a trip although I make an excellent salary. I have passed up some good opportunities to date because my mother says my first obligation is to her. This means, "Come home after work and keep me company." I don't mind supporting my

mother but I resent supporting my brother. My friends say I am crazy. Any advice? — TIED.

Dear Tied: Your friends are right. I'd substitute "guilt-ridden" for "crazy," but it adds up to the same thing. Your mother has done a splendid job of crippling you so you'd never leave her. Now you need professional help to break the chains that bind you. I hope you get it soon and clear out of that squirrel cage.

## White House

## Consumer Job Ends Quickly

WASHINGTON (Reuters) — Willia Mae Rogers, named only four days ago as White House consultant on consumer affairs, Saturday became the first casualty of the Nixon administration.

In the face of what the White House called unwarranted criticism of the appointment, it was announced that "Miss Rogers' decision not to serve, reluctantly has been accepted" by the president.

Miss Rogers, director of the Good Housekeeping Institute and chief of Good Housekeeping magazine, came under fire from Congress, the press and members of the public for not cutting herself off from those activities.

Her critics charged there

would be a conflict of interest if Miss Rogers was asked to pass judgment on various consumer products.

The White House said the president had since asked Miss Rogers to take a leave of absence from the Good Housekeeping Institute and serve his administration as a paid consultant.

Miss Rogers, who originally agreed to undertake her consulting assignment on a non-compensation basis, declined to do so.

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## Harsh Words for Ottawa:

## Women Letting Throats Be Slit

OTTAWA (CP) — Canadian women are "allowing the government to slit our throats and pick our pockets," says Laura Sabla, outspoken champion of equal rights for women.

Mrs. Sabla, a former alderman in St. Catharines, Ont., and chairman of a group called the Committee on the Status of Women, had some harsh words for the federal and Ontario governments, the Roman Catholic Church and universities in a speech to the Ottawa Public School Women Teachers' Association.

Women will never have equal status with men until they become part of the decision-making process, she declared.

Mrs. Sabla said that, if this was a just society, the prime minister should have appointed some women instead of political hacks to the Senate.

"Why don't they bring a woman into the cabinet? Bringing people in from outside has been done before."

"We have allowed them to put through those new estate tax proposals without protest, and heaven help us when they implement the family unit for taxation purposes."

"We're allowing the government to slit our throats and pick our pockets."

She suggested women's political associations be abolished.

Mrs. Sabla said the Ontario cabinet does not like women. No women were appointed to any of the top jobs in the province.

She did point out that it is difficult for women to run for office since many cannot ask their husbands for campaign funds and few have private means. It was also hard for women to leave their families to sit in either Parliament or a provincial legislature when a move to another city was involved.

Mrs. Sabla warned the teachers they had "better watch out for their jobs" because the profession is getting better salaries and had gained in prestige.

"As the pay gets better, the men will take all the jobs."

"Even our universities are private male clubs. Only 13 per cent of all professors in Canada are women."

A Roman Catholic herself, Mrs. Sabla said she was appalled that "2,000 celibates are telling women what they can do — whether they can take the birth control pill or not — and the Catholic Women's League had nothing to say about the matter."



## Wintertime Waltz

Queen of Quebec winter carnival, Ginette Guay dances with distinguished partner to open carnival ball at Chateau Frontenac Friday night. Prime Minister Trudeau is guest of Quebec City in carnival's windup weekend. — (CP)

## Clubs and Societies

The Women's Auxiliary to the Maritime Command Pacific will hold its annual games night Friday from 8:30 to 11 p.m. in the Naden Wardroom.

The 30th anniversary of Capital City Temple, No. 35, Pythian Sisters will be celebrated at the next meeting at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the K of P Castle hall, 723 Cormorant. Mrs. J. L. LeQueune, district deputy grand chief of Maple Temple, No. 20, Duncan will make an

## Fund Will Aid War Victims

ROME (AP) — The United Nations Children Fund will spend more than \$4,000,000 to aid and rehabilitate children in war-torn Nigeria and Biafra.

## Trial Exporter:

## Aussie Mini-Miniskirts Miniest Minis Ever

SYDNEY, Australia (Reuters) — A Vancouver grandmother on an Australian holiday has paved the way for the trial export of Australian women's high fashion to Canada.

Hazel Buck, 65-year-old businesswoman who runs one of Canada's top specialty shops in Vancouver, has spent two weeks buying a wide range of winter fashion wardrobes to promote in her store — but no "mini-minidresses."

"You have the miniest minis in the world," she said. "But Canadian women wear theirs a bit longer — about four to six inches above the knee."

"But I do have some mini pantsuits, which can be worn without the pants if anyone wants them shorter."

Mrs. Buck, whose daughter-in-law is an Australian, has bought nearly \$15,000 (Australian) — about \$18,000 Canadian-worth of clothes to sell because "your workmanship in high fashion is excellent and far superior to American products in this field."

And while Mrs. Buck's

promotion may mean a boost for Australian fashions, it will also put her one jump ahead of her competitors in a self-confessed bid to "outsell and outgrow our competition."

She said that virtually every country is represented in Canada's fashion range except Australia.

If the businesswoman's ex-

periment comes off, she will have a profitable market.

"Because of Australia's low costs the garments will be marked up at least 300 per cent and will still be competitive," she said.

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### Suede leather coats and jumpers . . .

We saw a gal in Madam and Eve Shop this week all decked out in the new outfit she'd just bought . . . and believe us, it's a real honey! . . . Suede jumper dress worn over a turtleneck sweater . . . full-length, with the latter fitted and belted, with a very nice high neckline . . . She volunteered that it's a most comfortable outfit to wear . . . and certainly it looked just great! . . . Unfortunately that was the only coat to arrive, but by the time you read this, there'll undoubtedly be others. In blue, moss green and Navajo (a lightish tan) . . . and the price is \$100 . . . The suede jumper dresses are on hand now, and come in the same colors, plus a cork shade . . . Two different styles . . . a one-piece with big ornamental zipper down the front . . . and a two-piece dress which has a zipper not only down the front of the top, but also down the skirt . . . Prices are \$36 and \$45 respectively . . . You know, we've heard via the grapevine that some fairly exciting things are due for M & E . . . new lines which will be very different and exclusive . . . and don't let the word exclusive throw you . . . prices will still be tailored to a younger gal's pocketbook . . . Go to Madam and Eve Shop, 383-7177.

Molyneux' collection is full of pretty, very feminine clothes for spring and summer.

### Interesting "finds" at Reynolds . . .

No matter when we drop in to Sydney Reynolds we invariably spot something new and different and eye-catching . . . quite apart from all the magnificent pieces one always expects to find in this treasure-trove of a store! . . . This week, for instance, we were enchanted with some Italian marble footed bowls . . . patterned after Roman bird fountains . . . with miniature hand-carved pigeons perched on the rims . . . These would make lovely containers for small spring flowers . . . Three different sizes, priced at \$6, \$10.50 and \$13.50 . . . which seems mighty little for such attractive and interesting pieces . . . especially when you consider they're imported direct from Rome . . . There are also some very attractive Spanish pieces . . . wrought iron fruit bowls and baskets . . . a wine bottle holder . . . double trivets and cruet sets for oil and vinegar . . . Just \$5.95 each . . . And here's something we haven't seen for years . . . chrome tea strainer spoons for making a single cup of tea . . . ditto tea balls, and a darling little strainer . . . Ridiculously inexpensive! . . . If you've been waiting, more or less patiently, for the new shipment of Irish coffee glasses and those handsome gentlemen's whisky glasses, drop in or phone Reynolds' first thing Monday . . . because these popular glasses are here at last . . . and there's a big demand for them! . . . Sydney Reynolds Ltd., 801 Government Street, 383-3831.

Saint Laurent's daytime clothes are almost all pants . . . topped with striped silk shirts, worn tucked in.

### The bra slip is the coming thing . . .

The big news in underwear fashion is the way lingerie is being pared down to a minimum . . . We're not talking now about the ladies who'll wear nothing at all under their see-through dresses . . . that's not really for you and us, is it? . . . But it is nice to have just one set of shoulder straps and still be able to wear a bit of a slip to keep your dress smooth and fresh between it and you . . . That's where the new bra slips come in . . . and we tell you, from experience, that they're great! . . . Saba Bros. have quite a remarkable selection of bra slips, cunningly fashioned to do the most for your figure, as well as look dainty . . . and short enough never to show beneath a hem . . . Those by Gossard, in white or nude, have slightly padded bras and elasticized back without any hooks . . . Very comfortable, and priced at \$7 . . . Wonderbra slips, at \$10, come in black, white, blue and yellow . . . Wire under the cups gives a good uplift . . . lace and ribbon trim . . . Van Ralite slips also have a fiberfill padding and elasticized back with a bit of a scoop to take care of low necklines . . . They're of a special taffeta material which is static-free and keeps clothes from creasing . . . Great under knits or nurses' uniforms . . . Slips are quite mini . . . as are some new bra slips from Austria . . . bright green and orange, as well as white . . . \$10 . . . at . . . Saba Bros. Limited, 1130 Douglas Street, 384-0581.

Hardy Amles has brought back waists with belts on suits, coats and dresses after several years of waistlessness.

### English furniture in world-wide demand . . .

Home Furniture Company's Mr. B. B. B. now knows why they have to wait so long for shipments of that beautiful English furniture the Gallery specializes in . . . he's just returned from attending the Interim 1969 Furniture Market in London, England . . . and visiting factories where this choice furniture is made . . . Buyers from all over the world placing huge orders right and left . . . so much so, says Mr. B. B. B., that we're lucky to get anything at all! . . . Well, hopefully, the situation is going to improve from now on . . . Meantime, a shipment which has been on order for several months has just arrived . . . and they're expecting a nice shipment of English Tudor oak furniture . . . all sorts of pieces from dining room to occasional tables, chests, etc. . . . The latest shipment includes some beautiful leather top tables with gold hand tooling, and hand-carved mahogany . . . the genuine leather tops are a rich avocado shade . . . There are several types of nests of tables . . . some with glass over the leather . . . We especially like the round table with its four little pie-shaped satellites (fitting in all around . . . There's a rectangular table which has four little ones, and a little nest of three tables which takes up almost no space . . . Another shipment of delightful little Victorian reproduction chairs . . . hand-carved mahogany with velvet or tapestry covers, just in, too . . . Home Furniture Company, 233 Fort Street, 382-5125.

Paris colors are light and bright. White leads off, with lots of navy accented with white.

### Bring your relatives over from Europe for a visit . . .

Looking back over the years, we well remember what an enormous pleasure it was for everybody concerned when our parents occasionally brought one or other of our English relatives to visit with us in Canada . . . In those days this involved a considerable outlay in time and money . . . because group and package tours were unheard of . . . but today, happily, all this is changed . . . Fast air travel and low group fares can bring parents . . . children . . . relatives . . . friends . . . together in a matter of hours! . . . Why not invite someone dear to you over from Britain or Europe this year? . . . You've been telling them what a wonderful country this is . . . now let them see for themselves! . . . Pauline's were telling us the other day about a number of group departures between many parts of Europe and Vancouver . . . from London on March 28, July 6 and 20, and Aug. 3 and 17 . . . three weeks in B.C. for just \$421 . . . There are departures from Scotland in July and August . . . from Frankfurt in March, June and July, and from Vienna on July 18 . . . More next fall and over the Christmas season . . . Conversely, there are literally hundreds of group departures from Canada to Europe . . . remarkably reasonably priced . . . if you'd like to go to Europe yourself . . . Go talk to Pauline's about it . . . and make your reservations soon, because these group tours must be registered and paid up at least 30 days prior to departure . . . George Pauline Travel Service, 1006 Government Street, 382-9168.

Vogue shows white wool pants for daytime. Usually worn under bright plaid coats.

### Free interior decorating service for brides . . .

If you're under the impression that Eaton's Bridal Registry is just a listing of your preferences in the china and crystal and such like loot you'd be happy to receive in the form of wedding gifts . . . what we're about to tell you will be something of an eye-opener . . . Eaton's Bridal registry is very special in the sense that it takes in everything for your new home . . . from furniture to tea towels! . . . And Eaton's bridal consultant, Mrs. Robertson, is there for one purpose only: to help the bride-to-be in every detail of her wedding and home planning . . . The Registry is a sort of clearing house and co-ordinator for everything pertaining to weddings . . . We learned just the other day that Eaton's interior decorators now give free service to brides . . . help them get the best value for the amount of money they plan to spend on furnishing and equipping their home . . . show them how to create an attractive home setting in accordance with their taste, needs and budgets . . . Mrs. Robertson will arrange this service for you when you register with her . . . She'll also make appointments for you to consult with knowledgeable people in other departments of the store . . . If you're getting married this year, register now at Eaton's Bridal Registry . . . and be sure to register, too, for CFA's Bridal Fair . . . the event of the year, on March 22 . . . Eaton's Bridal and Gift Registry, 382-7141, local 574.



DOROTHY WROTNOWSKI

Lieutenant Governor Nicholson will be in Vancouver Monday to attend a dinner given by the Brotherhood Committee in St. Mary's Ukrainian Community Centre.

The International Brotherhood Committee is an organizing committee of the Knights of Columbus, B'Nai B'Rith, the Vancouver Chinatown Lions Club and the Confraternita Italo Canadese. Capt. R. K. Cheng will be the aide-de-camp.

The Nicholson will give a dinner at Government House Tuesday evening in honor of the Commanding Officer and

members of the Board of Trustees of the Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's). On Wednesday the lieutenant governor will present long service awards and badges to members of the Victoria and Vancouver Island Division of the Canadian Corps of Commissioners at Government House.

### Fish Nets and Hearts

A combined Valentine and nautical theme were used in the decorations of the library and old court room in the Maritime Museum for the coffee party given by the Women's Auxiliary.

Fish nets with hearts caught in the mesh were draped over some of the tables and a model ship, its sails trimmed with hearts, highlighted another table. An authentically dressed model sailor kept his eye on a wooden fire bucket which doubled as a donations receptacle.

Life preservers and nets adorned the Judge's bench and

### Fascinating Displays

Miss Vivian Coombe was responsible for the attractive decorations.

Many of the guests took the opportunity to browse around the fascinating displays in the museum. The recent award to the museum has revived interest in the outstanding collection of the marine history of British Columbia housed in the museum.

The coffee party closed the first year of existence of the women's auxiliary. It was first organized a year ago in January.

Its most important contribu-

### Party Ends Twirp Week

Miss Anna Tye and Miss Ann Turk, both University of Victoria students, celebrated the end of Twirp Week by giving a dinner party Saturday evening. The party was held at the home of Miss Tye's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tye at Patricia Bay.

Guests were Jeannine and Leslie Kirkham, Penny Saunders, Bruce Pantan, Brett Morgan, Victor Horton, Peter Goodwill and Harvey Southern.

Mrs. J. W. McCallum and executive members of the Victoria Women's University

### Midnight Smorgasbord

About 100 guests enjoyed dancing to the music of the Kelly Trio. A smorgasbord was served at midnight.

Highlight of the Beta Sigma Phi, Xi Chapter, Valentine Dance at Dockyard Recreation Centre Friday evening was the crowning of the sorority Valentine Queen, Miss Irene Olah.

Pam Gillan, Miss Victoria, and last year's Valentine Queen, left the dance at Government House early to hand over the crown to the new queen.



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## ERMA BOMBECK Fails to Get Point

# Weird Little Devils

We have 26 appliances in our home, two cars in the driveway, a few savings bonds put away and I am a "standing" at the Beauty Shop.

We do not own a pencil. On the surface we would appear to be a family of some comfort. If Onassis knocked on the door and wanted to buy our house for a highway phone booth I would have to sign the agreement with (a) an eyebrow pencil, (b) yellow crayon, (c) cotton swab saturated in shoe polish, (d) an eyedropper filled with cake coloring or (e) a sharp fingernail dipped in my own blood.

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Pencils are weird little devils.

I discovered this quite by accident. One day I took a spanking new pencil, sharpened it and put it by the telephone. Three days later the same pencil showed up in the vegetable crisper of the refrigerator.

I put it back by the phone.

It popped up in the medicine chest.

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I put it on a string and attached it to the telephone. It broke its lead. I sharpened it. It broke the string.

It was clear that lousy pencil was not an ordinary inanimate object. It possessed the human qualities of free will and intellect.

As I studied this strange creature, other things became apparent. It enjoyed no sex life whatsoever. Other household items like coat hangers, straight pins and paper clips propagated themselves.

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Not pencils. They never begot anything but frustration. They came into this world alone and they dropped behind the stove and out of your life.

They also had an affinity for never being where they were needed.

The other morning I had to

write an admittance note for my daughter. "Get Mama's All-Occasion Cards," I yelled. (We haven't had stationery for six years.)

She gave me the box.

"Okay, what's it be? Happy Birthday To A Nephew Who Has Been Like A Mother to Me," "Sorry You're Sick" or "Thinking Of You In Your Hour Of Sorrow?"

"The birthday, I guess."

"Okay, now get me a pencil."

"Where?"

"Try the desk, the sewing basket, the stove drawer,

Daddy's workbench in the garage and my black purse."

"Not there."

"Very well, try the glove compartment of the car, the clothes hamper, the toy box, the pocket of my blue house-

coat, the sink drain, the mailbox, the guitar case and the base of the big oak tree. (Shouting hysterically) All right, you little devils. Come out, wherever you are. You've had your fun. I'll show you. You'll go to bed without your din din."

And some people worry about the Russians.

## A Lovelier You

# Sun, Shampoo Dull Mop Cure

By MARY SUE MILLER

A teenager writes: Like most girls of my age, I have

terribly oily hair. I shampoo in the morning and by night-time I've got a limp, dull mop. Is there anything that cuts down on oil for at least a couple of days? "Washing" is the only answer I ever get.

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My answer: Remedies that help overcome oily problems are applied both externally and internally. Like the inner girl herself, the hair responds to a high-protein and vitamin diet, with a minimum of sweets and fats; to fresh air, exercise and sleep.

External measures call for: pH A corrective detergent, pH factor or medicated shampoo.

Daily brushing with a spanking clean hairbrush. Brushing distributes the oil on the scalp before it has a chance to clog pores and then

trigger dandruff or other blemishes.

● An emergency oil eraser in aerosol sprays. When you have no time to shampoo, these sprays give off a dry mist that absorbs excess oil and also dust. You simply spray, wait a few minutes for the oil to be absorbed, and then brush out. Result is hair that looks fresh, gleamy and swingy.

● Until im movement comes, avoid massed hairdos, small or tightly wound rollers and tight headgear. Let your scalp get air and sun. It has to breathe to become normal.

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## City Club in Tune with Nature

# Canoes Open Up Wilderness

By NANCY BROWN

Man against nature and man in tune with nature are themes as old as time.

And both are themes of the pioneering world of the canoeist. Some members of the Victoria Canoe Club seek the wild thrills of pitting themselves against white water rapids.

Others look to the smooth glide of the silent canoe to take them into unspoiled wilderness areas.

There are about 40 members in the Victoria Club, although

this figure includes family memberships so that actual members are hard to estimate. Members range from novices in their first canoes to experts with years of white-water experience behind them; from small children along for the ride, to paddlers looking for new waterways.

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The club was formed a year and a half ago, sparked by a Centennial Committee-sponsored canoe race in the Gorge. It is affiliated with the Canadian Canoe Association.

"Young people from 14 upwards get a great thrill out of canoeing, just as some get their kicks in cars," said past president Wilf Harper.

"But this is a far better sport. In the first place it's safer both for the participants and for other people."

"Then it gives a young person a chance to succeed through his own skills, not just by putting his foot on a gas pedal."

He said there had been some deaths amongst canoeists, due to inexperience and lack of knowledge.

"We thought it would be a good idea to teach the proper way of handling a canoe."

Mr. Harper said waterways throughout Canada are graded for difficulty from 1 to 7.

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"The higher the number the more dangerous the water," he said. "and we have some number seven water on the Cowichan, where there's a very dangerous bend."

Club members go out most weekends on island waters — the San Juan, Chemalvus River,

Nanaimo Lakes, Nitinat River, and Sooke River.

"Experienced canoeists will go out one week to plot the river, and the next week will take a group out who will follow them down the river."

He said a canoe costs about \$150, and the club, putting safety first, insists that all members have lifejackets with them in their craft.

Greatest danger on a river comes from "sweepers" — fallen trees hidden beneath the surface of the water.

"A canoe can become trapped

and the pressure of water can snap it," he said. Rocks present dangers, but are easily detected by the spray.

Mr. Harper said that in strange water the canoeist will walk along the banks looking for hazards before launching his canoe.

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Some club members, though, prefer to paddle through calm lakes and quiet rivers.

"There's a tremendous bonus for the nature lover who takes to canoeing," said Mr. Harper. "He can get away from the

noise, bustle and mess of the accessible places, into the country that even the loggers haven't reached."

"For the photographer, or the person who likes to watch wild life, it's tremendous."

For club president David Thompson there's a sense of history in every trip.

"This country was discovered and mapped from canoes, and you can feel this out on a quiet lake," he said.

"It's very intriguing, and its most exhilarating to be so mobile in the water."



Victoria Canoe Club ready for San Juan trip



Wilf Harper and Julie Mottershead on tough Nitinat Lake portage



Victoria canoes ready for 40-mile race on Fraser River



Arne Pedersen sends grandson Timmy a-swinging

—Jim Ryan photo

## Voice of the Turtle Heard In Our Land!

Rise up, my love, my fair one, and come away.  
For, lo! the winter is past, the rain is over  
and gone;

The flowers appear on the earth; the time of  
singing of birds is come, and the voice of the  
turtle is heard in our land.

—Ecclesiastes.

This was the feeling of many Greater  
Victorians this past week as blue skies and  
sunshine spread over the southern tip of  
Vancouver Island and slowly melted the last  
evidence of six weeks of snow and frigid weather  
that struck the area on Boxing Day.

Happy youngsters accompanied by parents  
and grandparents headed for Beacon Hill Park —  
or any pleasant open spot — to take in the  
sunshine.

Others strolled the beaches and watched gulls  
wheeling in warm air currents high above the  
rolling surf. Many cast their eyes seawards and  
sought out freighters, fishing boats, and tugs  
plying Juan de Fuca Strait.

But for toddlers, the park playgrounds were  
the spots to be re-investigated. The magnetic pull  
of the swings, teeter-totters, sandboxes, and  
merry-go-rounds soon removed from memories  
the weeks of soggy mittens, boots, cold fingers  
and chapped hands.

For pre-schoolers it was a wonderful week of  
colored birds, green grass, and a million exciting  
odors that herald spring.

While they all loved to see the snow fly, even  
though it missed Christmas Day by a scant 24  
hours, they were happy that it has gone. Even  
for children, enough is enough.



Gina Pedersen on monkey bars



What's next? for Nicky Pedersen



# Test-Tube Embryo Defended

LONDON (Reuters) — The leader of a British research team which has produced a human embryo in a test tube Friday night defended their efforts against a suggestion that they could lead to the

deliberate creation of "monsters." Physiologist Robert Edwards said: "We are learning to help infertile women. We do not want monstrosities." A three-man team of researchers led by Edwards announced Thursday that after three years of experiments they have fertilized human egg cells in a test tube with male sperm to produce an embryo.

The team destroyed the embryo after 24 hours. The new technique is expected to help barren wives who want children and for whom fertility drugs are unhelpful. It could also mean advances in understanding physical and mental abnormality by studying embryos at an early stage of development.

Edwards said the next stage of research would be to allow the fetus to grow until normal development is assured and replace it in the wall of the uterus.

Edwards said he is not interested in creating test-tube babies. "I only want a mother to have her own child incubated in her own womb... because the womb is still the best incubator," he said.

But he agreed with the interviewer that the test-tube research has perhaps made it easier for others to create a test-tube baby.

Fifty-six human eggs were taken from ovaries that had been removed from a number of women for medical reasons. The eggs were steeped in the fluid from the follicles of the ovaries, a key step for this promoted maturation, or ripening, of the egg as it normally occurs in the ovary during the egg's passage from ovary to uterus. The eggs then were mixed

with ejaculated sperm. Over periods ranging from six to 31 hours after insemination, the eggs were, in effect, killed and examined under a microscope. Dramatic photographs of sperm penetrating maturation, or ripening, of the egg as it normally occurs in the ovary during the egg's passage from ovary to uterus. The eggs then were mixed

penetrated by sperm. And at least seven had been fertilized.

The sperm builds the fertilized eggs, which can be called embryos, were all broken up in various ways. All had lost their tails, for example, which, with other visible changes, is evidence of the beginning of human development.

None of the embryos could have survived in the test tubes more than three or four days, in any case. By that time, as so-called blastocysts, they have undergone a series of cell divisions and grown to about one hundredth of an inch in diameter, and they need the nourishment of placental fluid for further development.

VATICAN CITY (AP) — A spokesman for the Vatican Saturday denounced as "immoral acts and absolutely illicit" experiments in Britain in fertilizing human eggs removed from women volunteers.

Mr. Fausto Valtieri issued the condemnation in response to a question by a reporter.

The Vatican took a similar stand in January, 1961, when Dr. Daniele Petrucci of Italy, experimenting with fertilization, claimed he had kept a human egg alive for 29 days.

The Vatican newspaper L'Osservatore Romano appealed then to Petrucci to stop such experiments, for moral reasons, and he complied.

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## Slimming Drug Under Gun

### Side Effects Bar Pill

By ANTONY TERRY  
London Sunday Times

**BONN** — Reports from medical authorities of serious illness caused in persons taking a new series of slimming drugs derived from amphetamine have led to their withdrawal from sale in West Germany, Austria, and Switzerland.

In West Berlin all doctors have been asked to examine an estimated 15,000 patients for whom they have prescribed Meneo, one of the best-known slimming agents originally developed in the U.S. under the name Aminorex by McNeil Laboratories of Fort Washington.

**Tested in U.S.**

Meneo has been tested on 4,000 patients in the U.S., according to the Swiss manufacturers, "without ill effects." But an application to the U.S. Food and Drug Administration for permission to sell it in the U.S., where regulations governing the ad-

mission and testing of drugs are stricter than in some European countries, is said to have been "withdrawn" after the reports of ill-effects started to come in from Europe.

Dr. Otto Beyer of West Berlin's municipal hospital described the Meneo side effects as "the most serious of its kind since the thalidomide tragedy."

#### Heart Threat

Three of his patients who are suffering from pulmonary hypertension — a constriction of the arteries of the lungs which often leads to heart failure — all took Meneo regularly. The connection with Meneo was now "highly probable," Dr. Beyer said.

General symptoms of the illness — a rare one first observed only a few years ago — are described by a West Berlin doctor who has set up a medical investigation committee into Meneo as

"blueness of the lips, sickness, blackouts leading ultimately to total collapse of the patient."

The doctor claims that 28,000,000 Meneo tablets were being sold yearly before its withdrawal and that so far 22 cases of serious illness due to pulmonary hypertension have been discovered with others being reported daily since the appeal to Berlin doctors was issued.

#### 'No Proof'

The manufacturers of Meneo in Switzerland, Ciba Chemicals of Schaffhausen, claim there is no proof of a connection between Meneo and the serious side effects reported by doctors and hospitals in West Germany. Ciba say they have only withdrawn Meneo from sale "as a precaution."

The West German Pharmaceutical Association says that though no "serious" effects have been observed since the drug was introduced

40,000 Pearls in One

## Pop Art Jewelry Dress Wows Iran Empress

PARIS — The jewelry dress or the dress with at least the built-in jewelry is probably the most fascinating bit of news that seeped out of Paris this season.

A young man from Tunisia, Louis Azzaro, does a pop art version of it that everybody from the Empress of Iran to Maria Callas to the girls at the Crazy Horse saloon is buying.

Azzaro, whose showroom is one of those that is up three flights in an old building has in a way taken Picasso's place as a far-out designer. Picassos recent collections have been too, too far out, and his prices, too, have soared into the wild blue yonder.

Azzaro has an evening dress made of 40,000 pearls and another of 11,000, but his biggest hits are the hand-crocheted gold or silver sweaters, trimmed with gold or silver pearls or pieces of plastic.

The way to wear them is with pants. The top button is fastened and the sweater hangs slightly open over bare skin.

Azzaro made the Ford dress of the winter in Paris. Worn by all ages, it's black or white crepe. It looks slightly like lingerie with a bare, bra top outlined in certain rings that have been camouflaged in hand crocheted. The price is somewhere around \$150.

Another popular item is a little apron made entirely of strands of beads like a giant piece of costume jewelry that can be worn with pants or put over a simple crepe dress to make it look more like a party.

In his new collection Azzaro shows lots of crepe overalls with jeweled bras suspended



Azzaro gown

on the straps. Crepe tunics and pants are slit down the sides and laced loosely together with strings of crystal beads. There'll be another problem — sending clothes out to be restung instead of just dry cleaned.

The night people have found a new place in Paris. It's called Azzaro from a famous night spot on the Riviera and the proprietor is Jean-Marie Riviere, who once ran a nightclub in St. Tropez.

As far as thrills go, the discotheque has become a little old hat in Paris, Azzaro

is a big, high-ceilinged room that looks as if it might have once been a gymnasium. It is strictly drink, dine, and talk. There is no dance floor but the kick is one of the maddest Paris shows ever seen anywhere.

The show spoofs all forms of French entertainment from the Folies Bergeres to the female impersonators to the now famous French pop singers like Mireille Mathieu, Sylvie Vartan, and Regine herself.

Azzaro was the end of the last day in Paris. That morning Miss. Grev, who hardly ever speaks out and is seen only after her opening, with a pair of scissors still hanging around her neck, waited to discuss the state of the Paris couture.

"It is like a broken compass with the needle going every direction," she says. "Cardin is a commercial. His travels everywhere. I think it is wonderful for women in undeveloped countries to have his molded dresses, but it is not couture."

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# Hard Labor For Troops

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Two more of 27 soldiers accused of mutiny in the Army Presidio stockade received stiff sentences of hard labor Saturday. Four more come to trial Monday.

The court martial panel, after deliberating two hours and 20 minutes, sentenced Pvt. Louis Ocasinsky, 21, of Florida, N.Y., to 15 years of hard labor and Pvt. Larry Reidel, 20, Medford, Ore., to 14 years.

The sentencing of Ocasinsky and Reidel, found guilty Friday, brings to three the number of defendants, given long terms of hard labor.

Pvt. Neasey Eod, 26, Oak-

land, received a 15-year sentence on Thursday.

The mutiny charges against the 27 soldiers stem from a mass riot Oct. 14, when the defendants refused to report to work details.

The action was to protest the fatal shooting of a fellow stockade prisoner while he was attempting escape.

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## Youth Break

Time out for wintry fun is enjoyed by delegates from western provinces to recent All-Canada Youth Council semi-annual meeting at Quebec Winter Carnival. From left are Brian

Sampson and Hugh Tadmam, Edmonton; Marilla Nevo and Ian Mackay, Vancouver; Joan Taaffe, Victoria, and Stuart Aikins, Calgary.—(W. B. Edwards)

## Kennedy Assassination Review

# Tall Texan Saw Smoke

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—A puff of smoke, muddy footprints and a housewife's reaction to gunfire were added Saturday to District Attorney Jim Garrison's case against Clay Shaw, charged with conspiring to assassinate President John Kennedy.

These items are part of Garrison's evidence that Kennedy died in a conspiratorial cross-

fire and not at the hands of Lee Harvey Oswald alone as the Warren Commission said.

Shaw, 55, is being tried on a charge that he conspired in 1963 with Oswald and David Ferrie, both now dead, to kill Kennedy.

## HOME MOVIE

Prosecution evidence in the trial's fourth week included a home movie of the slaying which the jury has seen seven times in two days and testimony about Kennedy falling backward when shot, about two men with a gun and an Oswald accomplice in fleeing the scene.

The trial adjourned before noon Saturday when the state ran out of witnesses. Former Texas Gov. John Connally and his wife are scheduled to testify Monday. Connally was wounded by the gunfire that killed Kennedy on Nov. 22, 1963, in Dallas' Dealey Plaza.

## TALL TEXAN

A tall Texan was the first of three state witnesses called Saturday in the effort to show that Oswald, who purportedly fired from a sixth floor window, was not the lone assassin.

J. L. Simmons of Mesquite, Tex., a postal worker, testified he saw what looked like a puff of smoke on Dealey Plaza's grassy knoll when Kennedy was shot.

"After I heard the shots, I looked to see if I could see where they were coming from," Simmons said. "Right up under the trees, I detected what appeared to be smoke, or just a puff of smoke."

## ALONG FENCE

Simmons said he was standing atop the triple underpass over Elm street facing the presidential motorcade. When he heard the shots and saw the smoke, he said he walked along a fence to the suspicious spot.

He found a lot of muddy footprints, he said. On cross-examination, Simmons said these could have been left by spectators. He was not looking at the spot before the shooting, he said.

The knoll is on the same side of the street but a short distance west of the Texas School Book Depository from which the Warren Commission said, Oswald fired the fatal shots.

## CHILDREN HIDDEN

Another witness, Mrs. W. E. Newman of Dallas, a pretty brunette housewife, said she was standing with her husband and

children below the knoll and saw the fatal shot from a distance of about one traffic lane.

Q: And what did you do?  
A: We each had a child and we fell to the ground on top of

them because we thought we were in a crossfire—She was stopped by a defense objection to what she "thought."

Q: And where did the noise you heard sound to you like it was coming from?  
A: It sounded like it was coming from directly behind us.

## TWO CONFLICTS

Chief defense attorney F. Irvin Dymond on cross-examination brought out two apparent conflicts between Mrs. Newman's testimony and that of several other witnesses concerning Kennedy's reaction to the head shot.

Others told of a bloody spray flying backward or to the left. Mrs. Newman said: "As best I can remember, it flew straight up."

Garrison's team of prosecutors is trying to prove Kennedy was shot fatally from the front, and in addition to witnesses, has repeatedly run the Abraham Zapruder film of the assassination.

An FBI expert, called by Garrison, testified Friday the direction of the explosion was forward and that Kennedy was shot from behind. Three navy doctors who performed an autopsy said in their report: "The fatal missile entered the skull above and to the right of the external occipital protuberance (Back of the head)."

## PAUSE DIFFERENT

Mrs. Newman, in contrast to other witnesses, said she thought the first two shots were close together, followed by a third after a pause. Others thought the second two were closer together.

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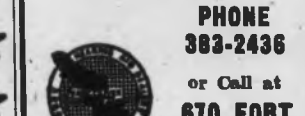
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## Oil-Soaked Kelp Appears

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The dirty kelp was blown ashore from the Pacific by south-southeasterly wind. Cleanup crews raked it up and piled it above the high tide line to be hauled away later.

The Santa Barbara harbor was closed indefinitely. Harbor officials said kelp concentrated heavily against protective booms at the mouth of the inlet.

## DIVERS REPORT

"Our divers Thursday afternoon reported there is about five to 10 gallons of oil an hour seeping up from the shallow sand beds, and a little natural gas," said a spokesman for Union Oil Co.

The seepage rate has remained constant since then, the spokesman said. Union Oil is an operator of the well. "We don't know how long the seepage will continue," the spokesman added.

A congressman said advice from scientists including those being sent by President Nixon will largely decide whether to ban drilling in the area.

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# Send Me Bread Hostage Cries

BORDEAUX, France (AP)—From a hardheaded farm house where his father has been detaining him for 15 days, 11-year-old Francis Fourquet Saturday called out to reporters: "Send me some bread please. I'm hungry."

Police officials, who watched the farm house from a distance said they believed the boy was told by his father to appeal for food. Police had just left three bottles of milk, cookies and other food in a lane near the farm. The boy had left the house to pick them up while his father, Andre Fourquet, 38, watched with a rifle in his hands.

The father barricaded himself with his three children to protest a judge's decision to leave them in custody of Fourquet's estranged wife. An older daughter escaped several days ago. Francis and Aline, 13, remained.

Charges are being prepared against Fourquet in the killing of a gendarme with a rifle during the siege.

Fourquet was supposed to make up his mind Saturday on whether to surrender. Instead, he shouted to the crowd around his farm that he would not let the children free as long as his wife does not come to see him. She was reported to be refusing to come near the farm house for fear he would kill her.

Police and lawyers told Fourquet his boy and girl would be placed in a private institution, but this decision did not appease him.

When a police officer entered the lane toward the farm early in the morning, he saw Fourquet pointing his rifle at him. Fourquet shouted: "I did not ask you to come."

An attempt to free the children was made later in the day by a woman member of the social welfare services. She was turned back.

Police had to increase the watch around the farmhouse to prevent volunteers from trying to free the children.

Witnesses who approached the house said the boy and girl did not appear terrified by their father, but instead were helping him with house work.

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# City's Heart Transplant To Make Area Snow-White

By DENIS HERBSTEIN

CAPETOWN, South Africa (LST) — District Six has been the heart of Capetown for over a century. Yet now the South African government, inspired perhaps by the deeds of Dr. Christian Barnard, is performing a transplant which will wrench 36,000 colored people out of the body of the town and deposit them in townships on the inhospitable sands of the Cape flats.

In its place will be a white luxury suburb.

This is the latest in a long line of humiliations doled out to the 2,000,000 South Africans of mixed blood in 21 years of Nationalist rule. Meet a Cape Colored in Johannesburg or Camden Town and his gaiety turns to nostalgia when you talk about District Six. Even if he has never seen it.

For that square mile overlooking Table Bay is his spiritual home.

The state calls it "slum clearance." And District Six is dilapidated and overcrowded by any standards. But this is only half the story.

Whether they live in stinking hovels or elegant mansions, hundreds of thousands of Coloreds and Indians are being

uprooted and dumped miles away simply in order to make the once multi-racial Cape peninsula snow-white.

For years the Capetown council has been waiting to go ahead with a massive plan that would have rehabilitated District Six beyond recognition — and allowed its inhabitants to stay. Instead, it had to spend much of its housing budget on soulless townships for the dispossessed.

District Six, virtually part of a city centre hedged in between mountain and sea, is a valuable piece of real estate. But since the area was frozen pending a group areas act inquiry, followed by its proclamation as a "white" area in 1966, and now the announcement that whites will start moving in next year, non-white property owners have come under growing pressure to sell.

Only the State Community Development Board or white speculators can buy. The Colored has rarely benefited from the huge profits that have been made. The man who saved for a lifetime to acquire a small house is forced to sell on a buyer's market.

Soon his property is worth twice, three times, as much. And when he wants to buy a plot in one of the few areas of colored freehold, land prices have soared. He can't win either way.



## Legion Branch Plans Community Building

By JIM BRAHAN

A major building project is in the planning stage for the Esquimalt-Doxford branch of the Royal Canadian Legion on its Admirals Road property.

The branch membership will soon be presented with plans for a two-storey structure to cost about \$140,000.

"We've been mulling the idea

of the project over for about six months and we now are at the stage of preliminary planning," said William Stewart, secretary-manager.

**ROUGH ESTIMATE**

He emphasized the projected cost is a very rough estimate. Current plans call for the building to be 131-feet by 70-feet, and will face Admirals Road.

The ground floor will contain a lounge and game rooms. The second floor will be mostly

auditorium with a seating capacity for 500 to 600 persons, Mr. Stewart said.

"We feel that we are part of the Esquimalt community and we are going to endeavor in this project to try and provide accommodation for medium-sized community events."

"For larger meetings there

will still be the Esquimalt Sports Centre," he said.

At the present time, he said, about the only space available in the area is Jubilee Hall on Fraser Street.

"The old hall just can't supply the demand," Mr. Stewart explained. "Anyway it's getting too old."

He forecast that the proposed Legion building would get tre-

mendous use from the community.

"We are getting more people in Esquimalt all the time, and we have to think of the population increases and plan accordingly," he said.

**OPEN NEXT YEAR?**

Mr. Stewart said that he would like to see the new building open in 1970. "But before we can do

anything more we'll have to get the reaction of the membership," he said.

The branch has more than 500 members.

"A project of this size is a major undertaking for a membership the size of ours," he said.

If the membership gives its approval the next step towards the new structure will be the start of a building fund.

## Stamp Packet

By FAITH ANGUS

A recent Scott publication, described as a computer in miniature, will enable serious collectors of United States stamps to maintain a detailed inventory of their philatelic holdings.

Scott's U.S. Checklist, pocket-sized and retailing for 69 cents (U.S. price), was compiled by James B. Hatcher. Its compact size makes it invaluable for use at club meetings, auctions or on shopping expeditions where the collector can tell at a glance what he needs to know about some item offered for sale.

The 96 pages of Scott's U.S. Checklist identify every major variety of the stamps of the United States and their possessions, including Ryukyu Islands, plus the stamps issued by the United Nations Postal Administration.

For each stamp identified by a Scott's catalogue number, there are five boxes on the same line in which the collector may check the items he has in his albums, heading the columns to suit his collecting pattern.

It is also invaluable in pinpointing items still needed or for making an inventory of a collection and getting some idea of its value.

When Queen Elizabeth opens the enlarged National Postal Museum this week, it will be the first visit made to London's chief post office by a reigning sovereign since the foundation stone was laid by King Edward VII in 1905.

A display of all the stamps issued during her reign has been prepared, with special reference to the skills of the British artists and craftsmen responsible for their production. More British stamps of more diverse subject material were released during the years 1952-1968 than ever before.

Alterations made to the National Museum have made possible a display of over 250,000 stamps from all parts of the world; the whole of the

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In deciding to issue a special stamp later this year to commemorate the birth of Mohandas Gandhi in 1869, the British post office has set aside another tradition. It will be the first time that a statesman from overseas is commemorated on a British stamp. India has designated the year from October 1968 to October 1969 as Gandhi centenary year. Surinam has announced a Gandhi memorial issue for October.

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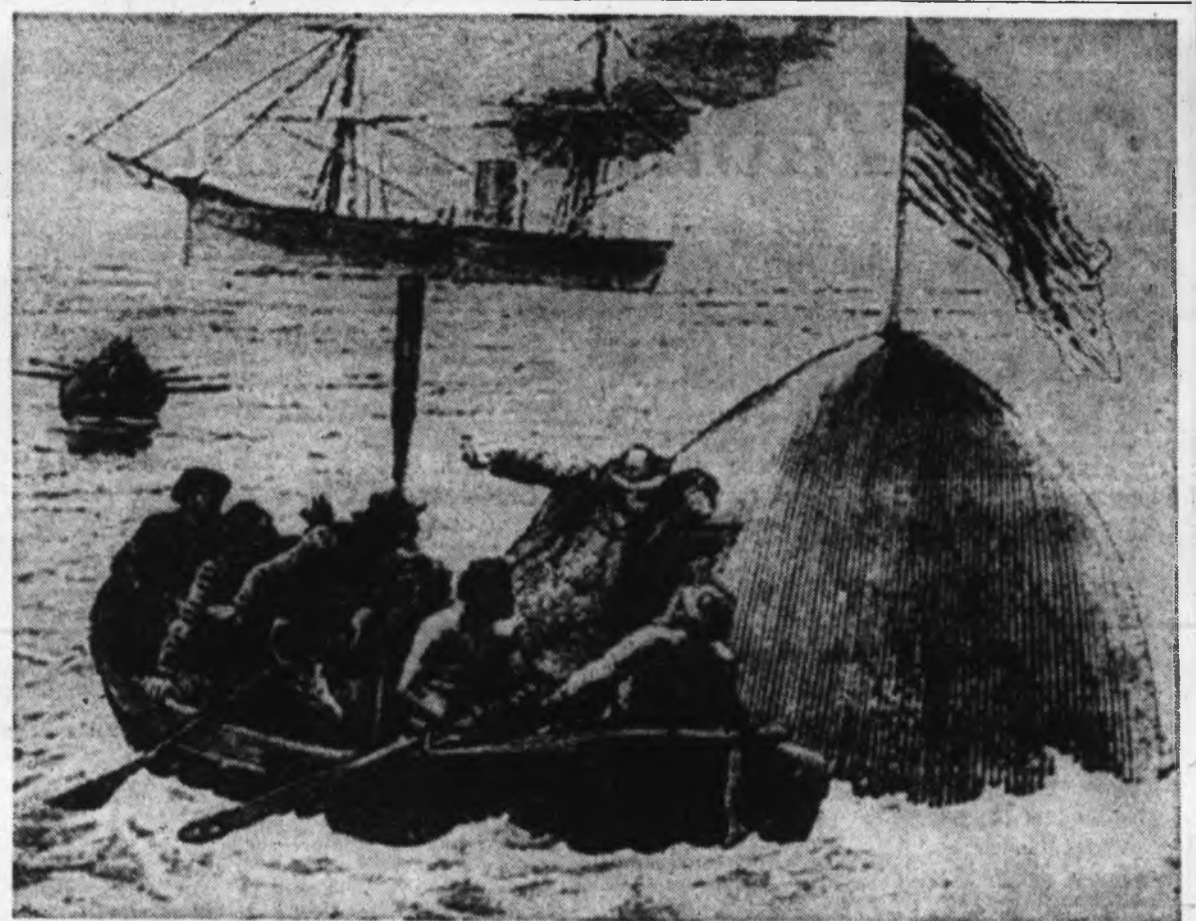
Eyes are large and soulful and dark hazel in color. Neck is long and muscular but not throaty.

Body has a fairly long arch over the loin and a tuck-up in the underline. Tail is long and tapering. Coat is close and smooth.

He was originated by miners in northern England from small greyhounds crossed with terriers, then later with the smaller Italian greyhound, for a delightfully clean silhouette.

He should be fed nutritiously but sparingly if he is to be a courting hound. And he needs training if he is to enjoy running to a rag, for rabbit is his game. Although prized as "the poor man's racehorse," he is an elegant show dog and a quiet and affectionate home pet.

Rounded fish bowls and goblet-type fish bowls are attractive, but rather than put fish in one would fill it with an arrangement of artificial flowers and buy a straight-sided tank for fish.



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light toward the centre, a condition extremely annoying to fish. Also, they do not magnify fish out of proportion, often grotesquely, as do rounded sides.

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### PET FORUM

Q. Is spinach a good green to feed a bird?—B.G.

A. It's especially fine during moult. Other good greens are chickweed and dandelion. Don't overfeed, or droppings will be loose.

Q. How can I safely arrange aquarium plants?—W.K.

A. Pet shops sell special clay dishes as settings. Plants then can be moved at will.

Q. What do I feed wild rabbits?—W.F.

A. Not too much prepared rabbit food. A variety of vegetables, fruit, clover, whole-wheat bread and rolled oats are good. Feed twice daily, largest meal in the evening.

## As Jules Verne Saw It

This is an illustration of a moon trip splashdown in the Pacific, as described by French author Jules Verne more than a century ago in his book *Around the Moon*. This picture was presented to Jean Verne, the author's grandson, by Col. Frank Borman, commander of the Apollo 8 moon-orbiting capsule, during U.S. astronaut's recent visit to France. Borman also gave to Verne a picture of Apollo 8's splashdown.



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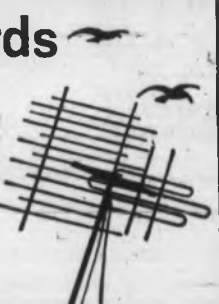
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## Coins Theft Suspect Arrested

Two Oak Bay police officers returned from the Lower Mainland late Saturday with a suspect arrested in connection with the theft of a \$4,700 coin collection.

The coins were stolen during a break-in Thursday at the home of Norman Ware, 3342 Henderson. Police said the money was probably taken in a brown pigskin briefcase which was also stolen from the house.

The theft would have proved awkward, police said, since the coins weighed about 100 pounds. The incident occurred after the coins had been advertised for sale.

## Meetings

- SUNDAY**
- Communist Party of Canada, The Inn, 8 p.m.
- MONDAY**
- Gyro Club of Victoria, Empress, noon.
  - Alliance Française, Art Gallery, 2:30 p.m.
  - Douglas Rotary Club, Red Lion, 6:30 p.m.
  - Metchosin Garden Club annual meeting, St. Mary's Church hall, 8 p.m.

## Hungarian Magazine:

## Teenage Radio Party Sent Coded Signals

BUDAPEST (AP) — Three Hungarian youths and two girls have been sentenced to prison by a military court for conspiring against the state and collaborating with Radio Free Europe, the army magazine Ne-pharsas says.

The magazine says Radio Free Europe, a private American network operating from Munich, West Germany, sent coded signals to the group over its Teen-age Party program Jan. 14, 1968.

Kalman Dush, 20, was accused of arranging the code with a Hungarian-born member

of the network's staff. The only specific charge mentioned in the article is "seducing soldiers to cajole military information out of them," which the magazine says was the task of the two girls.

The magazine gives no date of the trial or the length of the prison sentences.

A spokesman for Radio Free Europe said the story is utter nonsense, adding: "We are certainly more sophisticated than this. It's about the 501,000th complaint of this sort."

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## Names in the News

# Stockbroker Becoming Monk

LONDON — A successful young British stockbroker decided to abandon the capitalist world for the monastic and become a monk in the U.S.

Peter Stanfield, 26, who for nine years worked in the London Stock Exchange, will take vows this week of poverty, chastity and obedience to become a brother in the Society of St. Edmund in Connecticut.

Stanfield's father Bernard said he was not surprised at his son's decision because "he was always on the side of the underdog."

WASHINGTON — Charles (Peewee) Russell, 62, celebrated jazz clarinetist who spent much of his last two decades fighting various illnesses, died in hospital after a brief illness. A legend in his own time, he began at 15 and was known mainly as a Dixieland player but could fit into any style. His mournful countenance gave him another nickname, Basset, after the sad-looking hounds.

PARIS — Canadian Trade Minister Jean-Luc Pepin, in Europe for economic meetings, deplored President de Gaulle's way of promoting French culture and helping Quebec. He said France "could do a tremendous amount in Canada without fuss" but de Gaulle acts in a way that "is not the best way to help promote French culture or French-speaking Canadians or even the Quebecois."

OTTAWA — A Canadian delegation led by Andre Bissonette, an assistant under-secretary of state, left for Paris for a meeting Tuesday on the Franco-Canadian cultural agreement of 1965. Delegates are from various federal departments, the national arts council, universities, Ontario and New Brunswick, but Quebec is not going because it has its own pact with France.

VATICAN CITY — Pope Paul received Apollo 8 commander Col. Frank Borman in the Vatican and said the astronaut had "added to man's knowledge of God's work." The 71-year-old pontiff told the 40-year-old Episcopal astronaut: "We express our high esteem for the

bravery shown by him and by his companions and we invoke upon them richest blessings and favors from the Lord of the Heavens."

GHENT, Belgium — A policeman who received a partial larynx transplant to relieve breathing and speaking difficulties now is breathing and speaking normally, his surgeon said. The patient is Jean-Baptiste Borremans, 62, and the donor was not identified. It was believed the first transplant of part of a larynx, the voice box.

NORTH VANCOUVER — Ernest Gatto, 61, escaped serious injury when shot during a holdup attempt in his home. Police said two youths attempted to rob Mr. Gatto but, when they found he had only \$10, fired a .22-calibre rifle shot, hitting him in the side of the head.

STOCKHOLM — Dr. Aake Haasler, a former Swedish air force specialist on air-crash causes, said a high percentage of alcohol was found in the body of the pilot killed in the 1961 African plane crash that took the life of UN Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjöld.

VATICAN CITY — Pope Paul will usher in Lent on Ash Wednesday next week by leading a traditional procession to the Church of Santa Sibina on Rome's Aventine Hill, the Vatican said.

MONTREAL — Credit union accountant Henri Savva died of wounds after a gun battle between police and four bandits caught robbing a credit union in suburban Ville LaSalle. Two of the bandits were taken to hospital for bullet wounds in the arm and stomach.

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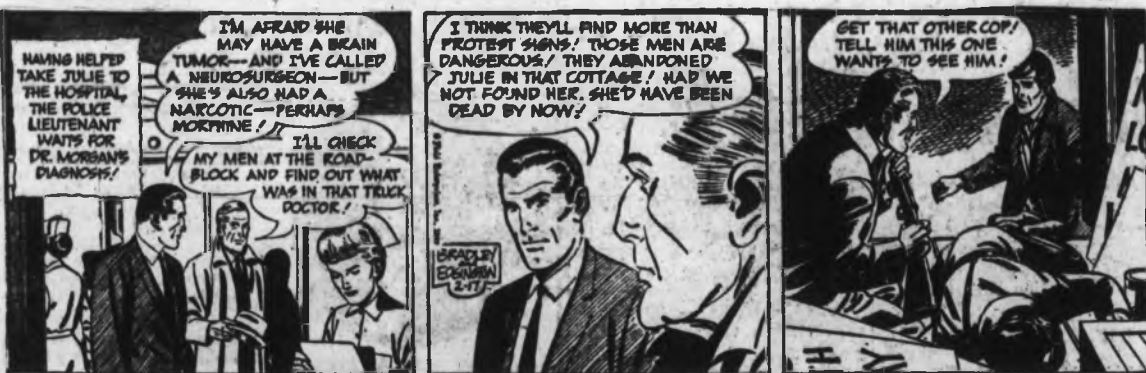
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**SAWDUST MULCH** (W. W. G. Victoria) — A sawdust mulch over the roots of your roses won't "burn" them, as your neighbor informed you. Properly used, sawdust makes an excellent surface mulch to insulate the soil and conserve soil moisture through our summer dry spells. Late May is time enough to apply it, after the soil has warmed up.

I should point out, though, that raw and unrotted mulches of any kind — not only sawdust — will lower the fertility of the soil temporarily while the material is rotting down, and the plants may grow poorly, showing pale foliage and other symptoms of nitrogen deficiency.

For this reason, it is customary to put down a generous sprinkle of ammonium sulphate, sodium nitrate or the like before spreading the mulch. Any fertilizer with a high nitrogen content will do the trick, and its purpose is simply to maintain the supply of nitrate to the plants until the chemical balance of the soil is restored.

A rather coarse grade of sawdust is best. Very fine stuff tends to form a crust on its surface, excluding air and water.

**ERADICATING IVY** (E. S. Royal Oak) — The best way to clear your ivy-infested ground is to spray the foliage in the spring just as new growth is commencing with a weedkiller especially formulated for eradicating woody or shrubby plants. Amino triazole is good, usually sold under the name Polson Ivy Killer, or a mixture of 2, 4-D and 2,4,5-T, sold as Brushkill, Brushbane or Brush Killer.

It will take a little time for the poison to be absorbed by the leaves and translocated to the roots, killing them. You should be able to clear the ground about three weeks after application.

**GLADIOLUS PROBLEM** (H. E. O.M., Victoria) — The club root disease doesn't attack gladioli — it infects only members of the cabbage family, which includes sprouts, cauliflower and kale, and to a somewhat lesser degree, radishes, turnips and wallflowers. It will be quite safe to plant your gladioli in the infected ground.

**BLACK CURRANTS** (J. W., Nanaimo) — When black currant bushes have been neglected and unpruned for several years, it is best to deal rather drastically with them, cutting them

down to within three inches of the ground. This means you will get no fruit at all this summer, but unless the plants are pruned really hard, you won't get the strong young growth so necessary for good crops. The new shoots which will grow up this year will produce a good crop of berries in 1970, and intelligent regular pruning thereafter will keep them fruitful.

The prunings, incidentally, may be used as cuttings to make more bushes. The pruned-out stems are cut into 10-inch lengths, their bases treated with Rootone or Seradix rooting powder, and inserted five inches deep in an outdoor bed of sandy soil to take root and grow. Drastic pruning should always go hand in hand with heavy feeding, and for black currants the ideal feed is a generous surface mulch of old rotted manure or spent mushroom compost.

**ST. PATRICK'S CABBAGE** (F. C., Sidney) — The leathery-leaved plant that retains its foliage all winter and bears sprays of pink flowers in early spring sounds to me like *Bergeria cordifolia*. It is a member of the Saxifrage family, related to the London Pride, and its common English name is St. Patrick's Cabbage.



ART BUCHWALD

## New Face, Old Tune

WASHINGTON — One of the most moving things to see in Washington is a new presidential appointee taking over a department of the government. The appointee arrives all fired up with ideas on how to streamline the department and run it on a more profitable, businesslike basis.

The civil service employees, who eat presidential appointees for breakfast, always look forward to the first meeting between themselves and their new boss.

I attended one of the other day in the department auditorium and sat in the audience with 2,000 employees.

The presidential appointee, after being introduced by a career officer of the department (the officer used the same introduction given for Warren Harding's appointee some years back), got up and said:

"Ladies and gentlemen, first I would like to say how happy Mrs. Sinecure and I are to be in Washington. I don't believe there is anything more challenging than the work we will have to do together."

The man in front of me said to his friend, "I give him six months."

The secretary continued: "I am aware that I cannot do this job alone. I will have to depend on each and every one of you to help me achieve the goals that the president and the country are expecting of us."

"I'll give him three months," the friend replied.

"I am not one of those fellows who comes in as a know-it-all. I'm willing to learn, and I'm willing to get all the facts."

The man in front said, "Next he's going to say his

door will be open to us any time."

Sinecure continued, "My door will be open to any of you, any time."

The man behind me whispered to his friend, "I think he really believes it."

"I have been working day and night studying reports of this department, many submitted by you, and I assure you that while I have nothing critical to say about my predecessor, we will have to make many reforms and changes if we ever hope to rectify the errors of the previous administration during the last eight years."

The man in front of me said, "He hasn't said anything about serving the people."

"Our job is to serve the people," Sinecure continued. "We owe it to the taxpayer to do away with waste and duplication and get this department on a business footing again."

The friend of the man in front said, "Wait 'til they ask him to cut his budget."

"I am also concerned about morale. You people can not do your job unless you are backed by me, and let me say, ladies and gentlemen, you will have my backing."

The man behind said, "I guess he hasn't been before a congressional committee yet."

Sinecure kept going: "This is a bright new day for the department. The dark clouds that hovered over this building for the past eight years will disappear and it is my fervent prayer that you and I will walk together in the sun once more. Now I'll accept questions."

The man behind me stood up. "Since Washington's birthday falls on a Saturday," he asked, "can we still take off Monday and be paid for it?"



SHEILAH GRAHAM

## Slim Secret

When I first met Lucille Ball in 1936, she was a showgirl for Sam Goldwyn in an Eddie Cantor musical movie. I remember those long-stemmed legs. They looked exactly the same when she danced with Carol Burnett on her recent show. Lucy's secret for staying slim — cut out one meal a day, preferably dinner. She has to be somewhere in her 50's but would you ever believe it.

Phyllis Diller, emerging as a dramatic actress in *The Adding Machine* — pepper and salt wig, real eyebrows, no diamonds or other kooky aids — is being stoical about the demise of her TV show. "It's the way the kooky crumbles," she guffaws. She is making a fortune guesting on the top shows — Hope, Skelton, Dean Martin, etc. She could make a great living just playing Las Vegas.

Charlie Chaplin is writing the music for *The Adding Machine*, which was directed by his close friend Jerry Epstein — he produced Chaplin's *Countess from Hong Kong*. Whenever I see Jerry in London I ask him, "Will Charlie ever return to the United States?" He doesn't think so. But I have a hunch that one of these days he will return, if only to see what has happened to Hollywood.

With Clint Eastwood veering towards the million dollar a picture plateau, Lee Van Cleef, who succeeded Clint in those Italian westerns, is now getting \$300,000 every time he makes a movie.



SYDNEY HARRIS

## Airs His Thoughts

It is true that toy weapons don't span violence, any more than pornographic literature leads to rape; but toy weapons do make the taking of life seem casual and divorced from human values, just as pornographic writing divorces sex from affection and respect.

The mightier our instruments of communications become, the less we seem to have to communicate; technology increases the speed and vastly augments the audience for communication, but at the same time reduces the sense of human involvement in what is being communicated.

Speaking of technology, one of the ironies of our age is that, for instance, the transistor was developed by one of the greatest corporations in the richest capitalistic nation in the world — and one of its prime uses has been to revolutionize the fomenting of radical revolts in the underdeveloped countries!

When transplantation of human organs becomes easier and cheaper, on what basis will we allocate scarce resources like kidneys — to what groups, or sorts of individuals, will we give such priority to live, and on what implicit scale of ethical values

will we base such vital judgments?

The so-called "cold war" is already obsolete, largely because both the U.S. and Russia are "have" nations with far more to lose than to gain by any global confrontation; the real war of the future, if not averted by more wisdom than we seem to possess, will be between the developed and the underdeveloped nations, the affluent and the impoverished, regardless of the prevailing ideology in either camp.

Appropos of my recent piece on the need for adopting the metric system in our schools (and, of course, in the

nation), the chairman of a scientific research group has said: "Fully 25 per cent of time could be saved in arithmetic courses if metric decimal units were substituted for the English system of measures — such monstrousities as proper and improper fractions, numerators, least common denominators, greatest common divisors and mixed numbers could be laid to rest..."

Perhaps one of the most expressive words in the English language is "flabbergasted," which, oddly enough, originally meant "to frighten with a fly-swatter."



## Drainage Budget Suffers

# Roads First Saanich Goal

Road repairs in Saanich are getting top priority these days following the recent unusual and prolonged frost conditions. Saanich public works committee has recommended raising the road budget by 100 per cent and to help provide funds, has slashed the drainage budget.

Ald. William Campbell, chairman of the public works committee, said the long cold spell could cost Saanich from \$100,000 to \$150,000 in road repairs.

But Municipal Engineer Neville Life later said that was "only an estimate" because the extent of the damage had yet to be assessed.

With frost still in the ground in areas like the Cordova Bay ridge, it will be several weeks before permanent patching can be done.

Saanich police have warned motorists to drive with extreme care, particularly at night, on the frost-fractured roads. Accidents have been caused by potholes which are not visible in the dark.

Casualties in the slashing of the drainage budget were Bowker Creek and the Gordon Head area.

Work has been postponed on a proposed culvert over Bowker Creek at St. Patrick's School on Trent Street and a culvert at Richmond elementary school.

Items totalling \$60,000 in Gordon Head have also been postponed.

Of \$372,000 worth of projects a budget was settled at \$129,300. This is down from \$200,000 provided for in the provisional budget drawn up last month.

Items in the budget set Tuesday include taking Bowker Creek under Shelbourne Street at Broadmead; improving drainage to the beach near the Cordova Bay shopping centre; and alleviation of flooding at G. R. Pearkes Handicapped Children's Clinic by extension of a drain.

Previously committed but not spent was money for the reconstruction of a culvert over Bowker Creek under Shelbourne at Dornelly.



Saanich work crew on Grandview Drive near Gordon Head Road

## Pacific Northwest

# B.C. Spurs Chess Surge

Chess in the Pacific Northwest has come a long way in the past five years, and players from Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland have had a great deal to do with this.

And although the Pacific Northwest Chess Association consists of B.C., Washington, Oregon and Idaho, British Columbia in the last five years has taken better than 50 per cent of major prizes in the six leading tournaments.

These are Washington Open, B.C. Open, Seattle Seafair, Seattle Open, Bellingham's Peace Arch Open, and Seattle's Pacific Open. The latter has been in existence for two years.

Taking all six tournaments, B.C. has captured 15 firsts out of 27 possibles, Washington has had nine, Oregon three and Idaho none.

To nobody's surprise, Vancouver grandmaster Duncan Suttles leads the B.C. parade with four firsts, while his Mainland teammate Colin Aykroyd — now residing in Montreal — is next with three.

After that come Vancouver's Elod Macaskasy and Ante Zaradic and Victoria's Ray Kerr, each with two firsts, while Nanaimo's Fred Schulz and Vancouver's Alan Hill complete the list with one apiece.

Zaradic and Kerr have been competing only for the past two years, while Schulz's feat is remarkable in that he seldom competes in Northwest events.

Washington's pace-setter is Viktor Pupols with four firsts, followed by Jim McCormick, three, Terry Nelson and Norman Abrahamson one each. All are from Seattle.

Oregon honors go to veteran Ivars Dalbergs with two firsts, while his Portland clubmate Ricky Ganong has the other.

But B.C. players haven't been contributing at the top only. Their presence has instilled a more competitive spirit, resulting in a tremendous boost in entries.

Ten years ago, Northwest tournaments commonly had between 15 and 25 entries. Since B.C. players began participating seriously — some six years ago there has been such an upsurge in entries, events with up to 80 entries have become common.

It is obvious that the co-operation between four the chess groups is beginning to pay dividends, auguring well for the future of the game on the Coast.

## Stamp Awards Given At Society Meeting

The Vancouver Island Philatelic Society's Hamber Cup for best presentation of the season was awarded Thursday to G. E. Wellburn.

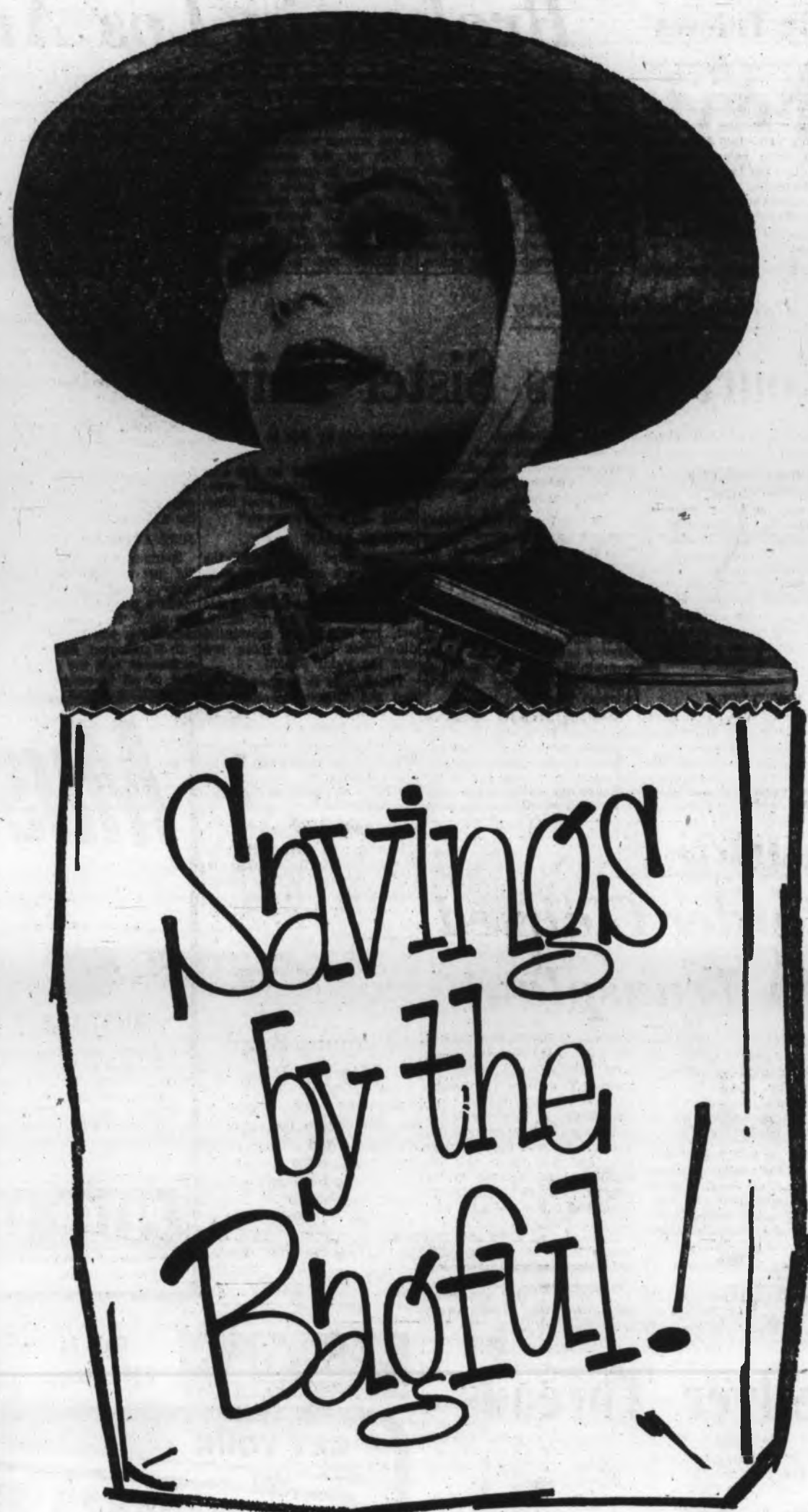
The award was made at the 38th annual meeting of the society in Victoria.

F. W. L. Keane was awarded the Royal Philatelic Society of Canada plaque for outstanding service.

New officers elected were: J. K. Hodges, honorary president; J. Clifford Moore, president; Dr. W. Clark Horning, vice-president; Charles W. Marshall, secretary and Ronald Katersby, treasurer.

Directors elected: Mr. Keane, Thomas McMaster and Col. C. R. Boehm. Miss J. M. Gordon was named northwest federation delegate, and Miss J. G. Roberts is alternate.

Reports showed 10 issues of the Guide Line were published and nine new members were enrolled.



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## Restaurants Raided By Thieves

The second restaurant burglary in two days netted a thief an estimated \$13 in money and cigarettes early Saturday when he broke into Cherb's Cafe, 1020 Blanshard.

The night before someone broke into the Lakeland Lunch, 3945-A Quadra, in Saanich, and stole approximately \$100 after ransacking the kitchen. Entry was gained through a rear window.

# Major Counterfeit Ring Broken in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — although 90 per cent of the operation apparently centred on the west coast.

Secret Service agents said more arrests were imminent.

Two of the suspects were picked up in south central Los Angeles after police received a tip one of them had sold the other \$50,000 worth of bogus bills. Most of the money was found on the men, and nearly \$1,000,000 and a quantity of

narcotics was found in a nearby apartment, where the other two suspects were arrested.

Printing presses and plates used to produce the bills were not found.

**ONE NOT NAMED**

Charged with forgery were Lynwood Anthony Johnson, 34, Elizabeth Moore, 38, and her husband, Eddie Moore, alias Jesse Watkins, 40, all of Los Angeles. The fourth suspect was not identified.

Sgt. Rod Bock of the Los Angeles police department said the arrests culminated months of investigation by federal and local agencies.

According to Guy Spaman, head of the Secret Service counterfeiting division here, the bills had been passed in restaurants, gasoline stations and supermarkets throughout Southern California, Arizona and Nevada for several months, and some were scattered into the Midwest.

**ONE AGENT**

It was at first believed there might have been a link because two of the suspects gave west coast addresses.

There were Lawrence Whitt, 28, of Oakland, Calif., and Bobby Fulton of San Francisco, who were arrested along with Jack Whitt, 45, of Columbus. Later it was disclosed that Fulton was an undercover agent for the Secret Service.

## For Pueblo Understanding

# Court Tours Sister Ship

NORFOLK, Va. (AP)—Cmdr. Lloyd Bucher's civilian attorney said a Navy court of inquiry's two-hour tour of another intelligence ship Saturday gave its members "an appreciation of the situation on the Pueblo" at the time of her capture by North Korean forces.

The visit to the USS Palm Beach—it was the first time any of the court's five members had been aboard an intelligence ship—was "educational and instructive," E. Miles Harvey told reporters.

**MORE KNOWLEDGE**

"It adds to the court's storehouse of knowledge in evaluating testimony," he said.

Harvey, who accompanied the court members on the ship tour, asserted, "You can see where they (the Pueblo's crew) de-

stroyed publications, where the Korean guard stood. You could understand the difficulty in going topside... the exposure of the gunmounds.

"We had thought the Pueblo's research spaces were larger than they turned out to be. We know now how crowded the Pueblo was... adding to the confusion."

**'SYMPATHETIC'**

His tour of the Palm Beach, Harvey said, made him "more sympathetic with the problems Cmdr. Bucher (the Pueblo's skipper) was faced with."

Recalling Bucher's testimony that he had picked up the wrong telephone prior to the Pueblo's capture by the North Koreans, Harvey said: "Today aboard the Palm Beach we saw how easy this was to do with two identical

phones side by side in a crowded space."

Harvey summed up the tour of the Palm Beach this way: "This was one of the most beneficial days we've spent."

**ONE IN JAPAN**

Three ships, the Pueblo, the Palm Beach and the USS Banner, are the only intelligence ships in their class. The Pueblo and Banner are nearly identical, but there are substantial differences between these two and the Palm Beach.

The Banner is berthed in Japan, and the court members did not want to travel as far as Japan to inspect her.

The Pueblo and Palm Beach both were converted into intelligence ships at the same time in the Navy shipyards at Bremerton, Wash.

**BACK TO COAST**

Members of the court, who flew to Norfolk from California Friday, departed on their return flight shortly before noon.

On Monday the court will begin its fifth week of hearings. Court sessions are expected to last about three more weeks, said Capt. Vincent Thomas, the court's public affairs counsel.

## 'Donor Not Dead'

# Murder Claimed In Transplant

TOKYO (AP) — A Chinese herb doctor and five other persons filed a complaint Saturday accusing Dr. Juro Wada of homicide in Japan's first heart transplant operation, newspapers reported.

The reports said the six complained to the public prosecutor at Sapporo, on Japan's northernmost island, that Dr. Wada knew the heart transplant would not cure the patient's illness and removed the donor's heart before he was officially pronounced dead.

Japanese news reports said the prosecutor's office was expected to decide on the case

within a month, after hearing Dr. Wada and medical experts.

Dr. Wada transplanted the heart of Yoshimasa Yamaguchi, 21, a drowning victim, into Nobuo Miyazaki, 18, at the Sapporo Medical College hospital last August. Miyazaki died 83 days later and the doctor said his death was not related to the surgery. He said Miyazaki's throat had become clogged with phlegm.

Miyazaki had been suffering from a faulty heart valve when Dr. Wada obtained his parents' consent to perform the transplant. The doctor also received consent from the parents of the heart donor.

## Famous Band Hit by Fire

DOUBLIN (AP) — Flames whipped through the home of Ireland's famed Artane Boys' Band, melting 200 instruments and burning the band's collection of sheet music.

Two hundred boys were led to safety as the fire burned out one wing of the Artane Christian Brothers Industrial School.

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Wednesday, 9:30 a.m. — Oil painting, pottery, woodwork, sewing, knitting and quilting; 11:30 a.m.—hot meal; 1:30 p.m. — singing and concert.

Thursday, 9:30 a.m. — Ballroom dancing; 10:30 a.m. — oldtime dance orchestra practice; 1:30 p.m. — Conversational French, stamp club and chess for beginners.

Friday, 9:30 a.m. — Woodworking, dressmaking; 1:30 p.m. — Jacko and cards.

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Thursday, 1:30 p.m. — Concert.

Friday, 10 a.m. — Quilting class; 2 p.m. — dance.

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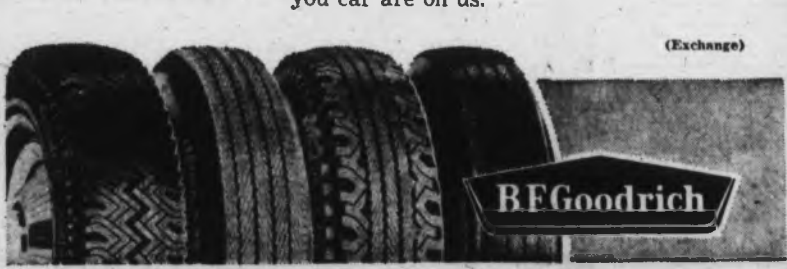
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8. Mendocino ..... Sir Douglas Quintet
9. Going Up the Country ..... Cannon Heat
10. Proud Mary ..... Creedence Clearwater Revival
11. I Heard It Through The Grapevine ..... Marvin Gaye
12. To Susan On the West Coast ..... Donovan
13. You Showed Me ..... Turtles
14. This Magic Moment ..... Jay & The Americans
15. Gamca People Play ..... Joe South
16. I'm Living In Shame ..... Diana Ross & Supremes
17. Purple Haze ..... Jimi Hendrix
18. Time of the Season ..... Zombies
19. Long Line Rider ..... Bobby Darin
20. One Ring Jane ..... Mother Tucker's Yellow Duck



Miss Cathryn Muirhead 'Maid of Cotton' Brings Fashions to Victoria Dept. Store

Nineteen year old Cathryn Louise Muirhead, a hazel-eyed beauty from deep in the heart of Texas and the 1969 'Maid of Cotton', arrives in Victoria Sunday. Here to star in a fashion show at Eaton's in conjunction with Air Canada, the Canadian Cotton Council and McCall's patterns,

she'll be modelling a wardrobe created especially for her from washable cottons in McCall's new spring patterns. As more and more women turn to sewing their own clothes for an individual fashion look, these fashion shows will be of great interest. Cottons with new textures, new easy-care finishes and in new colours and prints will be featured.

Along with the clothes there will be many new sewing tips from guest commentator, Pat Gwyer, fashion coordinator for McCall's patterns. The 'Maid of Cotton' will be modelling three shows Monday only, at 12:30, 2:30 and 4:15 in the Third Floor Fabric Centre at Eaton's. The shows continue Tuesday afternoon at the same time.



From left, Mills, Findlay, Moore, Springett

## The Week in Records

## Rain Chasing Fame

By KING LEE

Rain has been more like a tide that has run between success and failure for most of its members.

Dick Moore, the main organizer of the month-old Victoria group, is a prime example. Two years ago he was with a very successful group called the Blues By Five. As in the cases of most breakups, this one came apart because of internal conflict.

Then Moore was in a group called Iliad. Because of the group's determination to write and perform its own material its degree of failure was phenomenal. No one had heard of the group and no one was willing to listen.

He then joined up with the Marquis. That group made it with the local people and decided to try greener pastures.

For one reason or another the planned journey into fame and fortune just never got off the ground.

Moore got together with two of his buddies from his Iliad days, 19-year-old Bourke Findlay, bass guitar player and singer, and 21-year-old Martin Springett, considered by many one of the best 12-string guitarists around. Springett also sings.

The fourth member of the group is 24-year-old Ron Mills, a drummer with a penchant for jazz.

Together they make Rain. For a group that's new, the members make pretty good sounds. Their musicianship is superb and uniform.

Rain's price for a three-hour job is \$100 and an extra \$25 for the fourth hour which is reasonable by today's standards.

You Know the Way to San Jose; Barbara Streisand, for Funny Girl; Aretha Franklin, for I Say a Little Prayer; and Mary Hopkin, for Those Were the Days.

In the male performance category, Bobby Goldboro, for Honey; Jose Feliciano, for Light My Fire; O. C. Smith, for Little Green Apples; Richard Harris, for MacArthur Park; and Glen Campbell, for Wichita Lineman.

Canada's Gordon Lightfoot received a nomination in the best folk performance category for Did She Mention My Name? He goes against Irish Rovers' Unicorn, Judy Collins' Both Sides Now, the Incredible String Band's The Hangman's Beautiful Daughter, Bob Dylan's John Wesley Harding and Peter, Paul and Mary's Late Again.

If you're interested in hiring Rain, you can either telephone Bourke Findlay at 478-4030 or Dick Moore at 478-1834.

From a recent local television appearance the group has had an offer from Richmond, Wash. Richmond Teen Action Incorporated, a group that holds bimonthly dances, is interested in getting Rain for one of its functions.

Grammy nominations have been announced by the National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences.

Nominated for record of the year are the Beatles' Hey Jude, Glen Campbell's Wichita Lineman, Bobby Goldsboro's Honey, Jeannie C. Riley's Harper Valley PTA and Simon and Garfunkel's Mrs. Robinson.

For best contemporary pop female vocal performance, the nominees are Merrilee Rush, for Angel of the Morning; Dionne Warwick, for Do

## Letters to Kitte

## Western Flight Hardly Simple

Dear Kitte: I have had it! I can't live with my parents any longer. I have saved enough money for a ticket to a big town. I also received a small fortune from my grandmother when she died, a few years back.

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Dear Headed West: Your small heritage won't last long.

In a big town unless you are prepared by education and training to earn a living.

Before you leave home talk to a family-service agency or Traveller's Aid counsellor about how to get a job and find suitable living quarters.

First, consider getting what it takes in education, training, and earnings to leave on your own, in your town. Later, you might find an apartment or a suitable place at small cost where you could support yourself and prepare for big-city job competition.

Dear Kitte: I've been going with a boy for two weeks. We keep fighting and I don't want to break up with him so how can I keep us from fighting? Upset.

Dear Upset: Analyse what you fight about. Ask yourself what you do to bring on the quarrels and how you can avoid them. If you keep fighting, find a more congenial partner.

Dear Kitte: My girl friend (she isn't anymore) is quite popular with several of my best friends. However, she has taken advantage of her popularity by spreading cruel rumors about me. She's a very influential character and I am finding it hard to find out her lies and disprove them since I go to a different school than she and my friends. I'm afraid that she'll get the best of me. I have tried to talk with her but she only pretends she doesn't know what I am talking about and she tells the other kids about my talking to her. Help Needed.

Dear Help Needed: She'll never master you if you control yourself and whatever situations you encounter with her. Be self-possessed and poised. Act with dignity, show whatever liking you still have for her.

## Love and Marriage Answers Given

By KITTE TURMELL

Engagements... how long should they last? Choosing the right one... how can you be sure? And will your parents approve? Marriage... how can you tell that you're ready for it?

Mary Anne Guitart answered these questions which I relayed to her from you teenagers and young adults. She's the author of The Young Marriage, a handbook published by Doubleday.

When are you in love enough to marry?

"When the satisfaction or the security of another person means as much to you as your own. You don't have to put that other person ahead of you, but you should give your partner as much love and respect as you have for yourself."

How old should you be? "Legally you have to meet the minimum age requirements. Emotionally, your readiness to marry does not depend on your age. Youth can even be an asset, because if you are young you are probably flexible and willing to change."

How long should you know the person?

"Getting to know a person can take a lifetime. What really matters is your willingness to try to get to know the other one."

What's the earliest age or stage to get engaged?

"Going steady at a very early age is a form of engagement. Our social customs now favor that kind of semi-permanent attachment, and you may need just that kind of security. But if you want to play the field, to find out more about yourself and about others, that's all right, too. An engagement has always been a way for young people to test their feelings before committing themselves to marriage."

How long should an engagement last?

"First consider such commitments as service in the armed forces, college and job training. But if there are no practical objections, then its length would depend on how soon the couple wants to marry, or wants to break up."

Should the man be prepared to support his wife as soon as they marry?

"Most men want to do so, but many young couples agree the wife should go on working

so they can build up their capital, live better or finish school. And if she finds her career absorbing, there's no reason why she shouldn't keep on with it."

How long should the bride work? How should her earnings be used?

"Most important is that she should be prepared to stop working in the event that she becomes pregnant. The two then should be able to live on his income. In the meantime, they should be banking all her earnings if they want to fatten their account for the future."

## Engagements and Weddings

## Engagements



Reed — Hallett

The engagement is announced of Sandra Allen, daughter of Commander John C. Reed, D.S.O., O.B.E., C.D., R.C.N. (Retired), Victoria, and Mrs. Denys Reed of Toronto, to Mr. Ian Peter Brock Hallett, son of Mrs. Alex Hallett and the late Mr. Hallett. The wedding will take place, Saturday, May 3, 1969, at 2:30 p.m. in St. Luke's Anglican Church. Archdeacon C. E. F. Wolf and Reverend David McKay will officiate.



Smith — Cropp

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Smith of 1761 Carrick Street are pleased to announce the engagement of their only daughter, Kathleen, to Mr. David William Cropp, son of Mr. J. W. Cropp, 864 St. Patrick Street, and the late Mrs. P. Cropp. The marriage ceremony will take place Saturday, March 1, 1969, at 7:30 p.m. in Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church with The Very Reverend Father Michael McNamara officiating.

**Barbara-Meadows**  
Mr. and Mrs. D. Meadows, 2975 Carey Road, wish to announce the forthcoming marriage of their second oldest daughter, Susan, to Mr. William Charles Meadows, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Meadows, 4088 Glenford Avenue. The wedding will take place on Saturday, March 1st, 1969, at 7 p.m. in St. Andrew's United Church in Nanaimo. Reverend B. J. McKay officiating.

**McClean-Elverby**  
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McClean, of Nanaimo, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Marie, to Mr. Robin Elverby, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Elverby of Victoria. The wedding will take place in St. Andrew's United Church in Nanaimo on March 15th, 1969, at 7 p.m.

**Beisley-Johnson**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Beisley, 3338 Anchorage Avenue, Victoria, B.C. are pleased to announce the engagement of their only daughter, Leanne Ann, to Mr. Guy Trevor Johnson, of Lake Errock, B.C.

**Barnes-Stewart**  
Mr. and Mrs. James A. Barnes, 2927 Christie Street, are pleased to announce the engagement of their only daughter, Diana Gail, to Lieutenant William Stanley Gordon Stewart, Regina, Sask. The wedding will take place Saturday, March 15, 1969, at 7:30 p.m. in St. Mary's Anglican Church, Oak Bay.

**Turner-Menzies**  
The Reverend Robert J. D. Morris united in marriage Mrs. Constance M. H. Menzies of Suite 203, Broadview Manor, 1478 Beach Drive, Victoria, to Mr. Norman Turner of Suite 206, Beckley Manor, 548 Dallas Road, Victoria, on Friday, February 14th, 1969, at a quiet ceremony at the bride's home. The bride was attended by her daughter, Mrs. Calvin J. Foss of Trenton, Ontario, and Mr. Charles H. Turner of North Vancouver, son of the groom, was best man. Misses Jacqueline Foss of Trenton, Ont., Mary Penhall of West Vancouver, Jennifer, Kimberly, and Jacqueline Turner of North Vancouver, graciously draped the bride and groom carried colonial bouquets of pink and white carnations and acted as flower girls. Mrs. Penhall, daughter of the groom and Mr. C. B. Penhall, Master John and Ross Penhall; Mrs. Charles Turner and Mrs. Robert J. D. Morris attended the wedding ceremony. Following the wedding ceremony, a family dinner was held in the Empress Hotel dining room.

**Watson-Randall**  
Reverend E. W. MacQuarrie officiated at the ceremony in Wilkeson Road United Church on February 1, 1969, at 11 a.m., when Marion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Randall, Quenell, B.C., exchanged marriage vows with Mr. David Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Watson, Victoria, B.C. Attendees were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Watson, Cordova Bay. Following a wedding breakfast at the Princess Mary, the couple left on a honeymoon trip to the Maldives. They will reside in Victoria.

**Beaubler-Stoddart**  
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stoddart are pleased to announce the marriage of their daughter, Susan Eleanor, to Mr. Hiram Beaubler, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Beaubler, Chemainus, B.C. The ceremony took place January 20, 1969, in Toronto, Ontario.

Rates for publication of Wedding or Engagement notices, with or without pictures, available on request from the Advertising Department. (Special forms to assist you in writing copy also available.) Copy for weekend editions should be in the Victoria Press office no later than 5 p.m. the Wednesday prior to publication date.

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by DR. JOYCE TOMPKINS, an authority on 19th-century English literature and well-known literary critic.

TUESDAY AT 7:30 P.M.  
The Younger Kipling  
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THURSDAY AT 12:30 P.M.  
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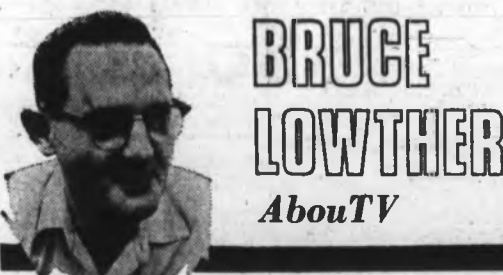
ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, Dr. Tompkins will speak to the Victoria Kipling Society on The Wisdom Poetry of Rudyard Kipling

The lecture will be given at 837 Linden Avenue, beginning at 2:30 p.m. Interested visitors as well as society members and their guests are welcome.









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About TV

## Sunday Highlights

2:30 p.m.—World of Music presents five modern ballets from New York's Lincoln Centre—2.

C4:00—Today the World shows the nice world of photographer Norman Parkinson: Raquel Welch, Vanessa Redgrave, even Twiggy—2.

C4:30—Experiment in TV this time tries a Negro drama, *Color Me German*, with James Edwards—5.

6:30—NET Playhouse has a four-parter on how a family sees life. First, the daughter—9.

C7:30—The Smothers, with Libera—8.

C8:00—Ed Sullivan and Arthur Godfrey ain't much, but Caterina Valente is—2, 6, 7, 12.

8:00—The U.S. cable TV troubles—9.

C8:30—A special called *Children's Letters to God* has young opinions on everything—5.

C9:00—Princess Grace shows us Monaco and Monte Carlo, with Terry-Thomas, Gilbert Beaud—2, 6.

C9:00—Highlights of the 1969 *Los Capades*, with Nancy Sinatra, Jack Jones. If you must—5.

C9:00—The Smothers again (see 7:30)—7, 12.

10:00—The Way It Is is certainly—2, 6.

C10:00—Tom Jones with Lulu, Lynn Redgrave—8.



"Must be a commercial coming up. I hear chains clanking."

## Sunday Sports

C10:55 a.m.—Basketball, Boston at Philadelphia—4.

C11:00—NHL hockey, Boston at Chicago—12.

C2:00 p.m.—The Phoenix golf event ends—4.

## Sunday Movies

10:00 a.m.—Penny Serenade (1941 soap), Cary Grant, Irene Dunne. Bring the Kleenex—11.

1:30 p.m.—Penny Girl (dated 1950 broads), Bob Cummings—5.

2:00—Big Sky (fair 1952 western), Kirk Douglas—7.

2:00—Carry On, Nurse (1959 ad infinitum)—12.

2:00—Treasure of Monte Cristo (1950 mics)—13.

C3:00—Mother is a Freshman (overcoy 1949 romantic comedy), Loretta Young, Van Johnson—11.

3:30—Toll on Paradise (1959 English comedy), Anthony Newley, Lionel Jeffries. A rock—6, 8.

6:00—Toll on Paradise (1959 English comedy), Anthony Newley, Lionel Jeffries. A rock—6, 8.

C6:00—Ride the High Country (1962 adventure), Randolph Scott and Joel McCrea decided to make a movie together, and it's real fun—12.

8:00—Born to Speed (1947 disaster)—13.

C9:00—Carpetbaggers (sleazy 1964 pseudo-film), Carroll Baker, Alan Ladd, George Peppard, many other victims. It's even worse than the book—4, 8.

9:30—I Shot Jesse James (phony 1949 thing), John Ireland, Preston Foster, Barbara Britton—13.

11:15—Paradise Case (1948 courtroom dandy), Gregory Peck, Charles Laughton, Vali, Ethel Barrymore. Ann Todd, scads more—6.

11:35—Rabbit Trap (1958 try to repeat Marty, and it fails), Ernest Borgnine, Bethel Leslie—2.

12:00—No Time to Be Young (awkward 1957 teenie crime), Robert Vaughn, Roger Smith, other faces—12.

12:30—Amazing Dr. Clitterhouse (still-coming 1938 crime comedy), Edward G. Robinson, Bogart—4.

12:35—Appointment for Love (one of those awful 1941 MGM slop romances), Charles Boyer—5.

## Sunday Radio

4:00 p.m.—NHL Hockey, Montreal at Pittsburgh—CBU (690).

7:35—Opera Theatre: Verdi's Nabucco, plus the last act of Rigoletto—CBU-FM (105.7).

8:05—Opera Gala: highlights of this—CFMS (98.5).

9:00—Dutch Concert: Beethoven's fourth symphony—CFMS.

11:00—The Montreal Orchestra: Schubert's seventh—CBU.

## Monday Highlights

C7:30 p.m.—Laugh-In: Tiny Tim's back—8.

C8:00—Show of the Week is a variety thing with Jack Jones, Debbie Reynolds, Johnny Cash—2, 6.

8:00—NBC starts three solid hours of comedy with Laugh-In. Tiny Tim's front, too—5.

C9:00—Comedy Hour No. 2 is a Bob Hope special, with Bing, George Burns, Martha Raye, Diana Ross—5.

C9:00—NET Journal is about student children—9.

C9:30—Carl Burnett plus Ken Berry, Shirley Jones—2, 6.

C10:00—Comedy Hour No. 3 is a Jack Benny special with Lucille Ball, Lawrence Welk, Dan Blocker, Dennis Day and scads of cameos—5.

C10:00—Arnold Burnett again (see 9:30)—7, 12.

## Monday Movies

NOTE: Last week, no weekday movies to recommend. This week, nine, including three Tuesday, one Wednesday, one Thursday, four Friday.

10:30 a.m.—God's Country and the Woman (dullish 1937 timber adventure), George Brent—4.

12:30 noon—Murder Among Friends (1941 miss-4)—13.

12:45—Meet Danny Wilson (1952 Sinatra). Bad advice... miss this one, too—6, 8.

2:00 p.m.—Born to Speed (1947 miscarriage)—13.

4:30—Man from Cairo (1954 George Ratwaddle)—13.

5:30—Oz Trapp (1959 youth-a-life, not bad), John Saxton, Linda Cristal. Good support—12.

6:00—Vengeance Valley (1951 western), Burt Lancaster, Robert Walker. Average at best—7.

8:00—Unknown Island (1949 monsters). This is so bad I can't tell you not to watch—13.

11:00—This Angry Age (horribly bad 1958 drama), Anthony Perkins in the rice paddies of Indochina—12.

11:00—The Town Went Wild (fair 1944 kid-switch comedy), Jimmy Lynd, Freddy Bartholomew—13.

C11:30—Hilda Crane (terrible 1956 soap opera), Jean Simmons shows how to waste talent—7.

11:45—Under the Gun (dumb 1951 prison epic), Richard Conte, Sam Jaffe, John McIntire—2.

1:05 a.m.—Paris Model (1953 dog, one of the supreme silver screen stinkers), Paulette Goddard—5.

1:30—City of Chance (1940 gambling bore)—13.

3:30—No title. Better is due Tuesday—13.

## Monday Radio

1:15 p.m.—This Week's Artist is a singular plurality, the Stuttgart Chamber Orchestra—CBU-FM (105.7).

8:05—Gala Performance: Beethoven's fifth symphony—CFMS (98.5).

## Program Schedules for Sunday

Programs subject to last-minute changes by stations concerned

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| Beetles          | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | 8:00 | Channel 16  | Channel 17  | Channel 18  | Channel 19  |
| King Kong        | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | 8:00 | Channel 20  | Channel 21  | Channel 22  | Channel 23  |
| Bullwinkle       | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | 8:00 | Channel 24  | Channel 25  | Channel 26  | Channel 27  |
| Issues, Answers  | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | 8:00 | Channel 28  | Channel 29  | Channel 30  | Channel 31  |
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| War              | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | 8:00 | Channel 40  | Channel 41  | Channel 42  | Channel 43  |
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| Second Look      | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | 8:00 | Channel 48  | Channel 49  | Channel 50  | Channel 51  |
| World of Music   | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | Wanda Wanda | 8:00 | Channel 52  | Channel 53  | Channel 54  | Channel 55  |
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## U.S., Chinese Envoys in Warsaw

By TOM LAMBERT  
 Los Angeles Times

WASHINGTON — Barring some hitch, American and Communist Chinese officials will resume Thursday in Warsaw one of the longest-established, permanent, floating diplomatic interchanges in the past 15 years: The American-Chinese ambassadorial talks.

Unless the Chinese suggested, American-approved meeting is postponed, the officials will drive up in limousines about 2 p.m. Thursday to Myslewski Palace in Warsaw, a modest 18th century building put at their disposal by the Polish government. Then they will walk upstairs to a formal drawing room on the second floor where the earlier Warsaw meetings were held.

### U.S. First

The American representative, accompanied by three or four aides carrying sheafs of top-secret documents, will enter the room before his Chinese counterpart and his assistants. The Americans will enter the room by one door, the Chinese by another. Once inside, the Americans and Chinese may or may not shake hands. Some participants at earlier meetings have done so, some have

not. But the officials at least will nod to each other.

They will sit down at two long, mahogany tables facing each other. On both tables, the Polish government will have placed bottles of distilled water, drinking glasses, boxes of cigarettes and matches, pads and pencils.

The Americans and Chinese, without ever acknowledging it to each other, also will assume that the Poles have planted microphones in the drawing room to monitor their conversations.

### Useful Forums

Those are the mechanics of the preface to the scheduled meeting, the 135th in a series which began in August, 1955, in Geneva, and moved to Warsaw in 1958, where they have been held since.

The meetings are superb examples of paradox in diplomacy.

Although the United States and China have no diplomatic relations, their diplomats have been meeting regularly at Geneva and Warsaw in formal, authorized sessions.

The meetings have not achieved the results either the United States or China hoped they would, but they have been significantly beneficial as forums for secret exchanges of views and communications on many subjects

of the world's most powerful and its most populous nations.

There have been some curious performances at the meetings.

China's determination that the American envoy shall enter Myslewski Palace first, for example, almost caused an ambassadorial wreck several years ago.

An American ambassador, hurrying in his limousine over the icy street to the palace, narrowly missed skidding into the Chinese envoy lazing along in his sedan to permit the American to arrive before him.

Although one American ambassador tried diligently, the United States envoys never have been able to crack the Peking representatives' shell of frosty aloofness.

### 'Get Together'

Ex-Ambassador John Gronowski, who shook hands with his Chinese counterpart before and after the Warsaw meetings he attended, once approached Peking's envoy after a session and said he would like to get together informally with him to learn something about China.

"I'd like to know what your climate is like, where you send your kids to school, where you go on vacations,"

he said. "We won't talk politics, we'll just talk."

"My next seven days are free," Gronowski told the Chinese envoy. "You choose the day and time and place, and we'll get together."

The Chinese hesitated, then said he would get in touch with Gronowski shortly. The next day a Chinese embassy official informed Gronowski that the Chinese envoy would be occupied for the next seven days.

On the other hand, the tea or cognac meetings between aides of the American and Chinese envoys at the Myslewski Palace sessions sometimes are slightly relaxed.

### 'Talk for Mikes'

The aides meet to review the previous day's proceedings, straighten out any translation discrepancies and sometimes elaborate on points made by their superiors.

At the aides' sessions, the Chinese usually serve tea. But occasionally they unbend slightly as hosts and serve cognac.

Notably, the American and Chinese envoys at the Myslewski Palace meetings sometimes indulge in what one source called "talking for the mikes" — the micro-

phones assumed to have been installed by the Poles.

It also is assumed that any American-Chinese conversations monitored by the Poles are relayed to the Russians.

Thus, one source said, an American envoy sometimes will make a statement, intended for Moscow via the microphones, disclaiming any designs against the Soviet Union. The Chinese will "talk for the mikes" to disclaim any animosity with the United States.

The meetings at times have been acrimonious to the point of tablepounding, empty of content, devoid of results and seemingly hardly worth continuing. Yet the United States is anxious, and the Chinese seemingly the same, to continue them.

A host of questions hovers over the meeting scheduled for Thursday:

### Sudden Move

Why did the Chinese, after asking last May for a postponement of the 135th meeting, suddenly suggest last Nov. 25 to the United States (in effect, to newly-elected President Nixon) that the session be held one month after he took office?

Why have the Chinese, after this country accepted their suggestion, started belaboring Nixon in their

## Under Tables, Microphones

propaganda as an imperialist devil incarnate?

Walter Stoessel, U.S. ambassador to Poland, probably will be in the American chair at the meeting, but who will be sitting in China's chair? China's ambassador to Poland, Wang Kuo-Chuan, was recalled to Peking in the summer of 1967 and has not been replaced. Embassy charge d'affaires Chen Tung represented China at the Warsaw meetings after Wang left. Will Stoessel be facing Chen? Or Wang? Or whom?

### Nixon Wary

Although some senators and citizens' groups in the United States are pressing for a change in the American stand on China — including abandonment of the U.S. trade embargo and U.S. opposition to Peking's entry into the United Nations — Nixon is wary about such moves.

He told a news conference Jan. 27 that he will "continue to oppose Communist China's admission to the United Nations." But, he went on, he is looking forward to the Warsaw meeting to see if the Chinese manifest there any "changes of attitude on their part on major, substantive issues."

If the Chinese indicate they want to improve their rela-

tions with the United States on other than their own terms — including withdrawal of American forces from Taiwan and the Taiwan Straits off that nationalist-held island — Nixon almost certainly would be willing to talk with them.

Red China's animosity for the United States seems to have increased lately, however.

In addition to its anti-Nixon propaganda diatribes, Peking reportedly has started a nationwide campaign of public denunciations of the president as a reactionary, monopolist and collaborator with the Russians.

### 'Angry Charges'

Further, China is angrily accusing the United States of including the defection of a Chinese diplomat — intelligence agent in The Hague, and demanding he be handed back — a demand likely to be ignored.

One of the U.S. aims at the next meeting will be to try to learn if China wants to negotiate an improvement of its relations with the United States.

Whatever the outcome, it is generally agreed here that the Warsaw meetings are highly valuable in maintaining direct communications between Washington and Peking.

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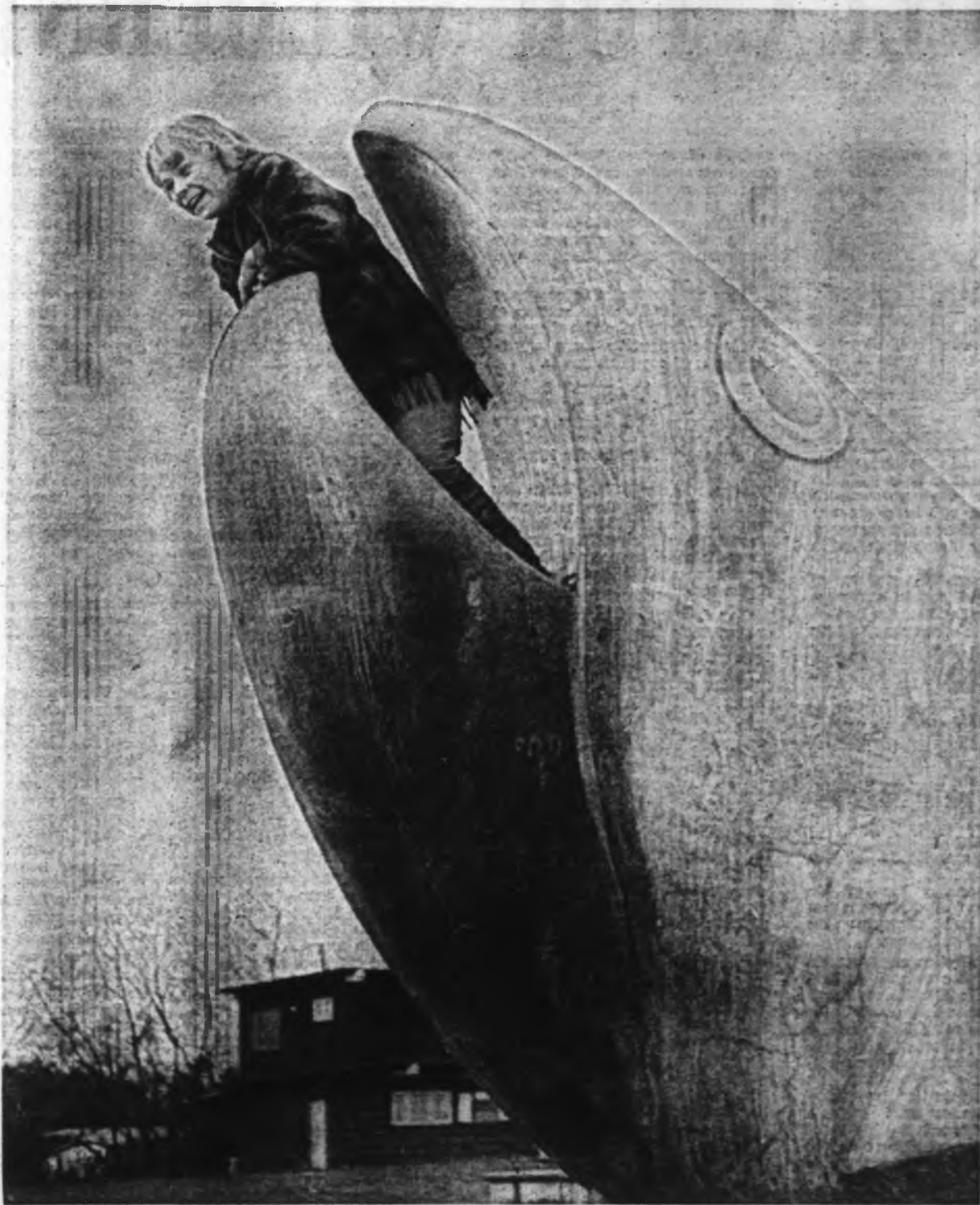
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# The Islander

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High up in the mouth of the concrete salmon the small girl laughs down at the world at Gyro Park at Cadboro Bay. —Alice Kimoff photo.



By JIM HAMILTON

*The exploration of the solar system and the mapping of and geological composition of the lunar surface will be extremely interesting and thought-provoking for readers and viewers. Undoubtedly the discoveries of space travellers will provide new information on the origin and fate of the earth. Perhaps scientists, on the basis of observations made in outer space, will be able to offer an explanation of the forces which have created the universe. What supremely wonderful discoveries relating to the origin and nature of the universe will be revealed? What impenetrable mysteries will baffle scientific genius?*

"Man does not live by bread alone or by machines alone. Some men at least need the beauty of nature, the interest of nature, the wildness of nature, the contact with wild animals living their own lives in their own surroundings, the temporary release from civilized routine and elaboration into the immediacy of camp and travel." So Sir Julian Huxley has affirmed in one of his moving entreaties for conservation of the natural environment and its ecology.

## A PLEA FOR WILDERNESS

Astronomers are satisfied, however, that this planet alone in the solar system is the most productive of varieties of living objects. No other member of the system is going to be comparably as biologically interesting as our own diversified environment.

The other planets in our galaxy, the Milky Way — itself merely an island universe among a billion others, an uncharted atoll of particles rotating in a void — are incomprehensibly distant and travel to them will remain a remote possibility for a long time to come. If new worlds are eventually located which compare favorably in atmosphere and natural advantages with our own are found, it is probable that a space voyage, even at lightning speed, will be a one-way passage. Interstellar radio messages will be the only means of contact in most cases.

The insurmountable nature of space, time and man's comparatively brief span of life, the limited capacities of the resources of nature to satisfy his requirements, are restrictions which are only temporarily ignored.

Such reflections lead with deadly certainty to questions of conservation. What will the state and extent of the earth's natural resources be in the next century if steps to preserve what we take for granted in this age are not effective?

I would prefer death to life in an over-crowded megalopolis of the future from which there is no respite. No escape because the remaining oases of wilderness are too distant and expensive for persons of average income.

And yet if effective measures are not taken now the natural environment within the 100-mile radius of Canadian cities will be ruined by industry and pollution. Not only have these agents been known to ruin the intimate relationship between animals and their environment, but they spell extermination for numerous species when the delicate balance of their needs is disturbed.

A wilderness without avian, mammal and riverine species is desolate, depressing and melancholy. Man had but a distant kinship with plants, he needs creatures of flesh and blood to comfort him.

These are not remote possibilities; they are not the groundless

ravings of another "nature nut." These are realities. And it is evident that the majority of the people living in urban centres of British Columbia are apathetic toward active efforts to preserve the resources of forest, stream and marsh.

They see them merely as places to hunt, fish and as the sources of abundant profits whereby they can satisfy their appetite for a superabundance of consumer goods.

It is to be regretted that residents who take for granted the majesty, awe and beauty of our forests, mountains and coasts have not experienced life in, for illustration, Los Angeles, Mexico City, Chicago, New York, Tokyo or London. Not in the prosperous traveller's way, but in humble circumstances from which there can never be relief or escape. It is an experience quite different from that of the tourist.

You do not need to be naturalist or novelist to imagine, as you stand in your bedroom high up in some hotel, the awful confinement and suffering concealed by the great grimy slums and ghettos of which the vivid Ginza, the apparent affluence of 5th Avenue and the clubs and shops of Piccadilly are just window dressing.

With your passport, travellers' cheques and passage secured there is no danger of being trapped in a stuffy walkup in the concrete maze. Unknown are the fevered haste, the soul-destroying anonymity, the claustrophobia of the subway, the distorted, schizophrenic mental states reflected in Picasso's art. Then there are the crowded suburbs, treeless and regimented; the business districts full of inhumanly severe architecture reflecting the indifferent, often ruthless nature of business and high finance.

Fortunately for their sanity, most of the denizens of the world's largest cities have never known the campfire, quiet lake at dusk, the alpine meadow, or the remote seacoasts.

In London the glimpse of nature is London Zoo, Kew, Richmond Park, Kensington and so on. All very pleasant and often instructive but scarcely more than a manicured series of showcases divorced from context. Lacking in the immediacy of the African jungles and savannah or the Canadian wilderness with their variations: animals at liberty, mountains, plateau, lakes, plains, forests, waterfalls, beaches and

wave-eroded ramparts against the vital, restless sea.

The news media and informed publications remind us with increasing urgency that the world's wildlife preserves are in serious danger through mismanagement, poaching and the insidious encroachments of industry. In the same context demographers warn the reader that the world's population increase will amount to a crisis by the 21st century, just 20 years away.

And yet the major part of public wealth and imagination is still wasted on the creation of consumer goods and armaments.

That our wealth and intellect, in the very face of evident crises, still is channelled into those historically hopeless causes, foreign control and empire is certain evidence for political and investment psychosis. Canadians need not share much guilt on this account, though they are contributing to it through trade, investment, raw materials and in the acceptance of research positions in the United States by Canadian born and educated.

The major crisis facing Canadians is retaining control of their resources and their still doubtful ability to manage them competently. If they continue to permit corporate foreign-based enterprise to gain even further control of the economy, mineral resources and lands all will be lost in the next 30 years. The wilderness, then, will be the concern of the business sector.

Meanwhile, the average Canadian — very often parochial in outlook, inadequately informed, or smugly superior in attitude — has no difficulty in remaining oblivious to the fearful problems and possibilities of his age. The very things he lives for — outdoor sports, recreation and life in the great outdoors — are threatened by his inability to effectively manage and retain control of the elements of his playground.

Like so much else that is questionable in man's capacity to think alertly and perceptively, another paradox. Will Canadians be able to integrate our thoughts? Stop living in mental compartments? Think realistically of the future?

Western Canadians in particular avoid involvement in the conservation of their resources. The nature of their principal industries is an effective form of control of the public conscience. Many westerners live by exploitation of natural

resources and everyone else is indirectly involved. There is always that threat, job security, if employees complain or agitate about pollution, threatened park and recreation areas and forest management.

Although many of them would prefer to remain pleasantly vague in their opinions and allegiances, there are a lot of people in the province who could declare themselves without the least danger of serious repercussions. There are plenty of intelligent writers, journalists, retired residents, university personnel, students and self-employed people who could speak out vigorously if they wanted to. Collectively they could do a great deal to dispel apathy through the medium of organizations, clubs, committees and a magazine like Ontario's Canadian Audubon.

The current craze for ski-slopes is one corner of the picture which has good fortune of being supported by young and numerous enthusiasts and the commercial overtones of the winter Olympic games being held in B.C. in 1974.

Just because the provincial government and the news media have held up the red cloth must we all combine and run for it like the obedient bull?

What about a west coast marine park? Shall we let yet another year go by during which there probably will not be any official action in a department so severely indifferent to briefs and pleas annually submitted to them? Shall we be robbed off again with polite verbal assurances?

It is rumored that a one-half-mile verge or green belt is reserved for recreational use along the shoreline of the west coast from Port Renfrew (Port San Juan Bay) to Bamfield. What is preventing a concession like that from becoming official?

With the exception of nine Indian reserves, one timber licence (at Pachena Bay) and bits of privately held acreage in the vicinity of Carmanah, Cl-o-o-se and Cape Beale the sections of land bordering the shore belong to the province.

Government objections to a west coast marine park coastal belt may be summed up thus: the departments concerned have been informed of maintenance difficulties by the department of transport whose responsibility it formerly was

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# Flying Parrets Visit Rome

**SYNOPSIS**—The authors completed their flying tour of the Bahamas Islands and are heading north from Palm Beach, Florida, in their four-place Piper Clipper. They passed a number of military training areas where helicopters and fighters are on exercise for the Vietnam war, creeping close fascinated by the manoeuvres. Suddenly the targets erupted in flame and smoke.

By ROY and MAUDE PARRETT

*The fighters were not only dropping real bombs, they were firing rockets as well. Even from a mile or two we could hear the "crump" and feel the pressure waves. We got out of there fast! We had already shouldered our way past swarms of navy trainers near Pensacola and were beginning to feel a little like Sunday afternoon on the Freeway. After that experience, we gave military reservations a wide berth.*

East Coast airports were crowded too. Over the airport control zone, the flights funnel together from all over the United States, and from overseas, often stacked up layers high, landings and departures only a minute or two apart. The smooth flow of traffic is a tribute to the airways controllers who sandwiched us in between jets, showing us the same courtesy that they offered to the airliners. Often we felt that we got special treatment, a foreign light plane being a bit of a novelty at many airports.

Soon we gave up telling people that we were from British Columbia — few had ever heard of it. "Victoria — just north of Seattle," seemed to place us on the map for most people.

We were much impressed with Georgia, with its green countryside, plantation houses, flowers growing like weeds, and Spanish moss, hanging from the trees. The complexity of the color problem was very apparent with a population ratio of seven to one.

Soon we were treated to real Southern hospitality. At Atlanta, we landed on a small airstrip beside the highway, grabbed our suitcases, hiked across the highway to a collection of trailers, thinking it was a motel. It turned out to be a trailer sales agency.

Although the manager was busy with a client, he offered to drive us to the nearest motel, eight miles down the road. We hated to have him miss a sale on our account, but he insisted on driving us himself, after failing to reach his wife on the phone, to chauffeur us. On leaving us safely installed in the motel, he gave us his card and offered to come and get us in the morning!

Like most people we met, our friend had heard about Expo, and planned to visit Canada soon. Nearly everybody at any distance from the border regarded Canada as being either Toronto or Montreal, ice, snow and Mounties.

Next morning the visibility was down in rain and fog, but the weather office said it was local so we took off for Nashville, home of Country and Western music. The farther we flew, the worse the weather got. Soon, even the birds were walking! Round and round we went in lowering visibility, looking for the opening predicted by the weatherman. There was none.

Soon we were hopelessly lost.

Things were not going to get better, so we decided to land, although "land" was nowhere to be seen at that moment. The Clipper nosed down until dense bushland appeared below, flew a straight course until over a highway and skimmed it so low that cars swerved at our passing, dodging radio towers as we went. Soon a town appeared, but no signs of an airport through the mist and rain. We called on the usual channels, but got no response.

Five roads led out of the town and four of them were checked out without finding any airport. We considered landing on a new freeway, under construction below, as the ceiling was almost on the ground. We circled the town several times, well below the tops of its TV and radio towers. A taxi driver left his car and gestured wildly, but his signals were not apparent. The fifth road was checked out with some difficulty and—you guessed it—there was the airport, a single paved strip alongside the

## BIMINI ADVENTURE

### Last of Three Parts

highway. It looked like Kennedy International to us!

The Clipper landed in a cloud of spray on the flooded runway. Our arrival caused quite a stir. Anxious citizens had reported the circling plane, including the waving taxi driver who had tried to indicate the way to the fog-shrouded field. The field boasted no control tower, but a base operator sent out repeated calls on his company radio, but we were not tuned to his private frequency, of course.

It was in this manner that we finally got to see Rome—Rome, Georgia, that is!

It was sunny skies to Paducah, next day and smooth flying all the way to Kansas City. Beyond was more rain, and we were soon skimming the highway again, setting down at Russell, Kansas, for it to pass. Here we met a young girl student pilot, performing her first solo across country. Like us she had been forced down by rain and poor visibility. What's more, she had been lost, off-course because of a 10-degree error in her



THE AUTHORS SPENT A WEEK ISLAND HOPPING in the Bahamas, 3,000 cays, rocks, isles and islands scattered across 70,000 miles of warm, turquoise ocean. They flew in their four-place Piper Clipper, entering via Grand Bahama Island, and returning by tiny Bimini, a two-mile-wide speck of sand in blue-green sea.

calculations and the Federal Aviation Agency was trying to straighten her out.

A few minutes later she took off for Wichita in gathering thundershowers, while we waited for better flying conditions. We often wonder if the plucky little lady made it!

The ground rose steadily all the way to Denver the Piper climbing higher and higher to the "Mile-High" city which probably has the country's busiest jet traffic, being a training base for airline pilots and crews. It was nice to be down after a 6½-hour day of flying.

With full tanks and a 5,500-foot elevation, a long takeoff run was to be expected at Denver. But the Piper got off easily in the cool morning air. It was a different story at our next stop, Rock Springs, Wyoming, elevation 6,747 feet, and temperature well over the century mark.

We staggered into the air, loaded to gross, and churned our way toward Salt Lake, past 9,000 foot peaks, climbing steadily until 13,498-foot Kings Peak passed off our wingtip. After a couple of hours of rugged mountains, we arrived at the Snake River Valley and breathed easier in more comfortable and pleasant surroundings.

There was no holding the Piper back now. Like a horse heading for the barn we sped past Twin Falls, Burley and on to Pendleton, Ore., for gas, then to Victoria in one hop. On the way past our friends' Washington ranch, we dropped a specially-wrapped bottle of our Jamaica rum. We circled our friend who was busy baling hay in his fields, but, busy with his machinery, he didn't see the plane. He was dumbfounded when he saw the package sitting in the swath he had just cut, thinking it had appeared by magic!

Over Victoria there was no response from buzzing the house for a car — the family was busy watching TV! Circling another son's house had the same effect, so we cleared customs at Patricia Bay and hopped over to the Keating airstrip to find it deserted at that hour. And we couldn't find a dime to call transportation, so had to wait for a kind soul to arrive with a car, sitting dejectedly amid a mountain of baggage, and souvenirs.

We had flown nearly 8,000 miles, or a third of the distance around the world, visited 22 states and four countries with less problems than we had in much shorter journeys by car.

The hardest part of the trip was the decision to make the trip. The rest followed naturally.

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Phileas Fogg began his imaginary circuit of the world on Oct. 2, 1872, and, by the use of slow trains and slower boats, plus his vicarious balloon, was back home on Dec. 20, exactly 80 days later.

When Jules Verne, the famous French novelist, turned his delightful character, Phileas Fogg, loose on a scamper around the world in 80 days, he set in motion a real competition, which to some extent, might, today, be compared to the race to the Moon.

## LANDSDOWNE AIRPORT

# Victoria's Hope for Air Supremacy

By ARCHIE H. WILLS

The speed competition which followed Phileas' trip brought Victoria into the picture and, on one occasion, its Lansdowne Airport, which embraced the fine piece of land contained within Lansdowne Road, Shelbourne Street, Richmond Avenue and Newton Street, and, on which, today, sits the Lansdowne Secondary School. It was the first licensed airport west of Calgary and a commemorative cairn is to be placed on it by the Victoria Pacific Wing of the RCAF Association.

The first serious assault on Phileas' record was made in 1889 by an adventurous newspaper woman, Nellie Bly, who, by using available means of transportation on land and water, actually circled the globe, New York to New York, in 72 days, 6 hours and 11 minutes.

This record was to stand for 24 years. Attempts had been made to break it but failure to make key connections with boats or trains, especially in Europe and Asia, foiled them.

In 1913 the Canadian Pacific Railway built two ships, the Empress of Russia and Empress of Asia for the trans-Pacific service and the steaming time between Yokohama and Victoria was reduced considerably. This, appealed to the venturesome spirit of another New Yorker, John Mears, who was sponsored by the New York Sun, a paper for which I was the correspondent in Victoria. He laid out a timetable, which called for split second connections, and, if successful, he would cut in half the time taken by Nellie Bly.

Everything went smoothly for Mears. He crossed the Atlantic on

the Cunard liner Lusitania, which he left at Cherbourg, France, and entrained for Moscow, from where he jogged over the rugged Trans-Siberian Railway to Vladivostok. A boat took him to Japan and he arrived in Yokohama and caught the Empress, with a few minutes to spare.

Mears was in high spirits when he reached Victoria and related a story to me, which I relayed to the Sun in New York. He was back in New York after an elapsed time of 35 days, 21 hours and 36 minutes.

This appeared to be a record that would stand for all time. No one could hope for a repetition of the good luck which had attended Mears' trip, but, then no one took into consideration the possibilities of the new vehicle of transportation, which was then wobbling about in the skies, the airplane.

Mears was the first round-the-world traveller to take the airplane into his calculations for an attempt to lower his record, but, he waited until 1928, following Lindbergh's flight across the Atlantic, before testing his theory. Mears talked a crack pilot, Bud Collyer, into making the try. Their plan was to take an airplane with them and use it over land areas.

When Mears and Collyer left New York one of the latest monoplanes was lashed on the deck of their ship. On reaching Cherbourg they took off on the long, hazardous flight to Vladivostok and Yokohama, with stops in several countries including Russia and Siberia. In some of these there were gasoline problems, but they made it without serious incident and had a little time to spare for their connection with the American Mail liner President Madison, which would carry them to Victoria.

It was dark when the President Madison reached this port but a huge crowd was on hand to welcome Mears and Collyer. The plane was unloaded, and, followed by many curious and interested spectators, it was towed, tail-first, through the main streets and out Hillside Avenue to Lansdowne Airport, where it would wait until morning before taking off for New York. Lighted runways were unknown at that time.

Although Mears was 24 years older than when I had met him on his first trip through Victoria, I found him still gay of spirit and hopeful that his new record would stand for many years. He did not



CHARLES LINDBERGH  
... used Lansdowne Airport

wish to make any more dashes of this sort.

Collyer lifted his plane off the Lansdowne runway at break of day and lost no time reaching New York, with a new record of 23 days, 15 hours and 21 minutes.

Mears' record did not last long. His introduction of an airplane was to be taken advantage of by others and Victoria was to be cancelled out in future plans as, planes would follow the Great Circle route, which covers a smaller part of the globe.

One year after Mears' spectacular dash a lumbering German dirigible, the Graf Zeppelin, went around the world in 20 days, 4 hours. Then Wiley Post and his plane, Winnie May, appeared on the scene and made the flight in eight days, 15 hours, 51 minutes.

The rich boy, Howard Hughes, took a shot at the record in 1938, in the latest multiple-engined plane and had four assistants. He shrunk the globe to three days, 19 hours, eight minutes. This mark lasted until 1957 when three U.S. strato-fortresses, sped around in 45 hours, 19 minutes.

All the excitement vanished from the competition when jets were used and the record went under 24 hours. Then U.S. massive jets removed the

last glamor by actually flying around at the equator, without landing. They refueled in the air.

Lansdowne Field was in the limelight in the infant years of flying. A Scotsman, William Wallace Gibson, who had made some money in the goldfields and had had some engineering experience, marvelled over the first flight of the Wright Brothers in 1903. He toyed with the idea of building a plane. He arrived in Victoria in 1908 and began work on a four-cylinder engine. He discarded it and built a six-cylinder, two-cycle air-cooled motor. It worked satisfactorily and he set about building his airplane, which departed from the accepted type of that period.

When the public saw his creation they said it would never fly. It was 80 feet long but only eight feet wide and its closest resemblance to any living creature was to a giant grasshopper. The fuselage consisted of four stout beams, without any "skin" or covering. The motor was mounted in the centre on a platform, and two propellers, one at the front pulling and a second at the rear, pushing, were connected directly to the main shaft. The two undercarriages were arranged like the wheels on a soap-box derby racer, two in the front ahead of the motor and propellers, six feet apart, and the other two in the rear, also six feet apart. They were ordinary bicycle wheels. There was no cockpit and the pilot's seat was adjusted ahead of the motor.

Gibson had had no flying experience and intended to react to the plane's movements once it was airborne.

On Sept. 8, 1910, Gibson started the motor of the plane and strapped himself in the seat, while a group of spectators watched in awe. After a short run, the plane lifted off for a second or two and then dropped back on its wheels.

For two weeks Gibson tinkered with his contraption and at 4 a.m. on Sept. 24, he made his big effort. He got the plane into the air but the air currents were troublesome and, after flying 201 feet, he cut the motor and settled on to the turf, only to discover a large tree dead ahead of him. The flimsy plane struck the tree and disintegrated and ended its days, as well as, Gibson's plan to rival the birds. He soon disappeared from the city.

The most spectacular episode in the history of Lansdowne Field was the arrival in July, 1928, of the latest type of airplane, a Ford tri-motor, all-metal monoplane, with a

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capacity for 15 passengers. It was purchased for \$50,000 and was to be used on the tri-city service, Vancouver-Victoria and Seattle.

B.C. Airways, Ltd., had been incorporated here on Nov. 18, 1927, with a capitalization of \$100,000. The directors were: R. H. B. Ker, J. W. Spencer, Cecil Eve, Ernie Eve and Gordon Cameron. A. H. Wilson, a First World War pilot, was appointed pilot-instructor at a salary of \$150 a month plus \$2.50 an hour, flying pay.

B.C. Airways took an option to purchase this airfield of more than 30 acres for \$77,000, from the owner, Mrs. E. M. Scott. I was close to the directors and aware of their ambitious plans.

Harold Walker, an experienced Seattle pilot, was sent to the Ford factory in Dearborn, Mich., to take over the new plane and fly it to Victoria, a distance of 2,700 miles. Much interest was aroused when it swept in over University School, crossed Lansdowne Road, hedge-high, and made a beautiful landing.

Now, B.C. Airways was ready for its big venture. A license had been received from Ottawa for the field and an airmail contract had been signed. I must say, in looking back over this development, that we must admire the audacity of the five men who put up the money and backed the company. It was not easy as I can recall the opposition which had been mounted by some First World War aviators, who contended that seaplanes or flying boats, and not land planes, should be used on over-water flights. Also, the Victoria company had to arrange its own airport in Vancouver as no one, at that time, was interested in such a notion from the slowpokes on Vancouver Island. It was a bid by Victoria to become the air centre on the Pacific Coast, and it was hoped, would give us a head start in the great competition which has since developed.

While the plane was being tuned up for the inaugural flight the venturesome folks took flips over Victoria in this "giant bird" at \$5 a head. Large crowds were always at the airport or watching from adjacent streets, as the big Ford took off and landed. Then came the historic day, July 23, 1928, when the plane made its inaugural flight, leaving here for Seattle and then going on to Vancouver. Those who made that flight were: Mayor Carl Pendray of Victoria and Mrs. Pendray; Mayor Louis Taylor of Vancouver; Mayor Bertram Taylor of Seattle and Mrs. Taylor; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Eve, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Eve, Frank M. Fretwell, of the National Aeronautical Association of Seattle; Claude Ramsay, of the Alaska branch of the N.A.A.; Leslie Fox and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cameron and their son Donald, then 18 months old and now a lawyer here.

Everything went smoothly until the plane touched down at Vancouver. Mayor Taylor rushed from the plane before the propellers had stopped revolving so he could be in the welcoming line. He was clipped by a whirling blade and was badly cut. Unconscious, he was removed to hospital, where, after intense medical attention, he recovered.

On Aug. 3 the first flight for paying passengers was conducted. The schedule called for two trips daily to both Seattle and Vancouver. Business was excellent and B.C. Airways directors felt they were launched on a profitable venture. The plane performed so well that all fears of emergency landings disappeared. With three engines the plane could fly easily on two and could limp home on a single, if need be. However, there were no emergency landing fields and, if the big ship was forced to land on water, it



**MAURICE MCGREGOR**  
... stunts provided thrills.

would sink instantly, being all-metal. Fog could be bothersome, but, it was felt this plane was so well equipped with instruments that it could get through. However, to compensate for the possibility of fog, the pilot had strict instructions to turn back to his takeoff point and, under no circumstances, to try to fly through it.

Then, disaster struck. It was to come from the pilot's failure to stay out of a fog bank. The plane left here on its morning flight to Seattle on Aug. 25, 1928, with Pilot Walker at the controls and, as there was some mist around, he was reminded of the order for not flying in thick weather.

Aboard the plane as passengers was the well-known Victoria physician, Dr. D. B. Holden, who had his office and residence in the brick building on Fort Street near Quadra. Other passengers were Thomas E. Lake, of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Scott, of London, England, and F. D. Soveret, of Newark, N.J. In the co-pilot's seat was Louis Carson, who had just received his commercial license.

When the plane entered a fog bank on the Washington side of Juan de Fuca Strait it disappeared from sight forever. When it failed to arrive in Seattle on schedule there was anxiety and all boats in the area and, any planes that could get into the air, were alerted.

There were hectic scenes in the newspaper offices, which, in those days, had to provide the news. Victoria was shocked to its roots at the thought of its dream of air dominance being so cruelly shattered and clung to the hope that some miracle would reveal that the plane had made a successful emergency landing. Those, experienced with aircraft, gave up hope early. It was the last day of the annual Willows Exhibition and the grounds were crowded with people. You could see the anxiety on all faces and, when the drone of a venturesome search plane was heard through the light mists which covered the area, they looked skyward, hoping.

There was no news on Sunday and on Monday, when the fog lifted, a seat from the plane was found and gave an indication of where it had gone down and of the fate of the passengers and crew. There was never a satisfactory answer as to what happened, but it was assumed that Pilot Walker had been enveloped by the fog so quickly, that he either could not turn about or that he felt he could fly through it, dropping down almost to the surface of the water, hoping for better visibility. Being so low he was vulnerable to floating objects, which would have catapulted him into the water.

It didn't take long for the "I-told-you-so" boys, who had championed

seaplanes and flying boats, to beat their drums, especially when B.C. Airways announced it would order a second Ford tri-motored plane.

It seems strange today to think that once there were two such aggressive factions, especially when flying boats have disappeared and land planes, only, fly the routes of the world, crossing oceans and ice packs.

It is sad to relate that B.C. Airways did not order the second plane and decided to drop from the aviation scene. The only record of this courageous effort I have been able to find is in the fine Aviation Centre in the Uplands Airport in Ottawa. A model of the Ford plane is in a showcase and a picture of it, with its markings and "B.C. Airways, Ltd." painted on the top side of the wings, is included in the literature which is handed out there.

The most distinguished flyer to use Lansdowne Airport was Charles A. Lindbergh. While still receiving the adulation of an admiring world after his memorable non-stop flight from New York to Paris in his Spirit of St. Louis in May, 1927, Lindbergh and his wife, Ann, found Victoria a stopping point in their dash from the Yangtze River in China to New York, following the death of Ann's father, Dwight Morrow, the U.S. ambassador to Mexico.

The Lindberghs were on a spectacular flight when they were called home. They had taken off from New York in 1932 in a brand new product of Lockheed, a monoplane, equipped with floats, and had completed the dangerous crossing of the Barren Lands of Canada's northland and the Pacific Ocean, when they flew up the Yangtze with a load of serum to be used to combat an epidemic. Their plane was almost swamped by the Chinese when word of Morrow's death reached them. They flew at once to Yokohama and embarked on the American Mail Liner Admiral Jefferson for Seattle, where a plane would be waiting to take them to New York.

The Admiral Jefferson had to make the customary four or five-hour stop at Victoria, which would delay their arrival in Seattle, on top of which they had the five-hour run to that port.

As a newspaperman always on the outlook for a good story it occurred to me that the Lindberghs might entertain a suggestion to leave the ship at Victoria and take over their plane here, thereby saving approximately 10 hours. Seattle was counting heavily on the attendant publicity of having the Lindberghs use their airport and a corps of newsmen and photographers had gathered there to record the event.

When I was advised that the special Lindbergh plane had reached Seattle, with the Lockheed test pilot, Vance Breeze, at the controls, I long-distanced Boeing Field and asked if Breeze was there. As luck would have it he was near the telephone and he came on. I explained my plan and he seemed interested.

"What are you doing now?" I asked.

"Just sitting around," he replied.

"Why don't you fly over and take a look at our airport?" I asked.

"Vancouver says you haven't anything there," he said.

I gave him a rundown on the airport and he agreed to take a flip over.

"I'll see you at the airport in half an hour," I said.

By the time I reached the airport the handsome yellow monoplane was on the ground and Breeze was inspecting the runway.

I introduced myself and he said: "There's nothing wrong with this field."

Following a discussion, he des-

patched a wireless message to the Lindberghs, suggesting they debark at Victoria.

When the President Jefferson arrived after dark the Lindberghs came ashore. Mrs. Lindbergh went to the Empress Hotel to rest and Lindbergh, Breeze and myself proceeded to Lansdowne field. If Lindbergh did not like the setup he could return to the ship and proceed on her to Seattle and Vance could fly the plane over at daybreak.

Lindbergh inspected the turf of the runway and the clearance he would have at the end of the field on takeoff. He expressed his satisfaction and also his gratitude for the switch in plans, especially over the time he could save. He looked over the plane and then said he would return to the Empress, pick up a few hours' sleep and be at the field an hour before daybreak.

"I'll be half way to New York by using this field, by the time I would have been able to take off from Seattle," he said, before he left with Vance for the hotel.

Many of the spectators who had gathered at the field during the night, remained there to see the takeoff and catch another glimpse of this intrepid flyer.

Lindbergh's thoroughness was evident in the morning when he made a minute inspection of the plane and its controls and spent half an hour warming up the motor, sometimes revving it at full throttle. Besides the ear-splitting roar, the blast from the propeller drove everyone from behind the plane for over 100 feet.

Mrs. Lindbergh arrived shortly before dawn and shook hands with some of the crowd before boarding the plane. Then Lindbergh, with his hair askew, a smile and a wave of the hand, entered the plane, locked the door, started the engine and taxied to the runway. There was no fooling with his takeoff, he gunned the motor, roared down the runway and lifted off as gracefully as a bird. He set a course for Spokane, bypassing Seattle by many miles.

In the 'thirties two U.S. navy planes landed at Lansdowne and out stepped two bulky individuals. They were navy pilots in the new flying suits, fitted for high-flying. They came here to pick up the signed Washington Naval Treaty, which had to be hustled from Tokyo to Washington. Each plane was to carry a copy of the treaty in case one of the planes was lost. When the trans-Pacific liner, carrying the treaty, reached here, the valuable documents were rushed to the planes, which immediately took off. The precaution to use two planes was well taken, as one of the planes flew into a mountain peak during a snowstorm and was lost, along with its pilot.

Another interesting visitor was a woman pilot, a Mrs. Brown, of England, who was flying around the world, that is, the land part of it, in a small, light-powered plane. In a test flight over Victoria the plane caught fire and the pilot just got into the field in time to leap from the cockpit. There were no parachutes in those days.

The best of the young Victoria boys who learned to fly at Lansdowne was Maurice McGregor. From the outset he was a natural aerobatic flyer. On one occasion, after stunting over the Gordon Head area, he landed his plane on the sandbar at Cordova Bay, which provided a big thrill for the summer-vacationers, but met with displeasure from the civil aviation authorities. McGregor pursued his natural

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A beautiful young Jewish woman rocked Victoria and San Francisco in 1869. It's a story that reads like a dime novel—a runaway, secrets, hate, love, scandal, prejudice—everything, the works! Much of the mystery has really never been cleared up and never will be. The story is now a fascinating paragraph in the history of Victoria.

## Young Jewish Woman Rocked Victoria

By JAMES K. NESBITT

*The Alexander Mayer family lived both on Vancouver Island and in San Francisco. Many prominent people in those days had residences in each place. They more or less commuted, you might say—though it took at least four days to make the sea voyage between the two places. However, a sea voyage was said to be good for the health, and so it was endured. Those were the days before air-conditioning, and no matter how cold it might be, or how rough, people bundled themselves into blankets and sat in their deck chairs for at least two hours each morning, and they always walked their mile. These days of air-conditioning practically nobody ever sits on decks, or walks. They huddle in chill public rooms and play cards. I often wonder why these people just don't hole up in a hotel suite. Most people today certainly have no idea of how to enjoy an ocean voyage.*

Be all this as it may, Alexander Mayer operated a clothing store in Nanaimo, and frequently he was in Victoria. He placed his daughters at school in St. Ann's Academy, with strict instructions that they were to have nothing to do with the Roman Catholic religion.

The explosion about Frances Mayer broke in The San Francisco Call in October of 1869. It was written with great flourish, not a detail of bathos and pathos being spared. The Colonist promptly picked up The Call report, and so we may well imagine what a stir was caused here.

I think you would like to read the article in full as it appeared in The Call a century ago this year.

"The elopement in San Francisco—an event occurred in San Francisco which has caused considerable commotion among the Jewish portion of our citizens. From all sources, through diligent enquiry, 'one of ours' has been enabled to gather the following particulars of the affair.

"It appears that a well-known Hebrew family have several grown children, one of which is a girl, about 22 years of age.

"Frances Mayer is a girl of many accomplishments, and, to use the language of the novelist, she is 'as beautiful as a pink.'

"She is witty, vivacious, full of life, beloved by all who know her. Many a young man would have given as much as Jacob did for Rachel, could he have gained a smile from her, but so far as anyone knew, she smiled for none, and her heart beat no quicker at the sound of any footstep.

"Therefore, the news that was whispered from mouth to ear on

Sunday that the fair Frances Mayer had mysteriously disappeared from her home caused no little astonishment, especially since she left a note announcing that it would be useless to make search for her, as she designed entering a convent.

"This became the main topic of conversation, and everywhere one went he would hear people making surmises and conjectures upon the probable causes that led this lovely young damsel to take such drastic steps.

"After a while another version of the affair was given to the gossiping public, and, as impartial journalists, we shall give it to our readers, permitting them to choose which-ever version pleases them best.

"The second version is that the young Jewess was acquainted with a young Christian, a young man who had been brought up in Roman Catholicism.

"He loved her with all the ardor of a first love, and his love was reciprocated by the young lady, but her parents would not listen to anything of the kind, and refused to permit the young man to visit their home. Still further, they strongly urged their daughter to give her hand in marriage to a man old enough to be her father, but who, by shrewd business speculation had grown to be a great big old moneybags.

"With her heart filled with the image of the handsome young Catholic she had no room in it for the ugly features of old Two-Per-Cent.

"She frequently declared, with passion and heat, that she would rather become the bride of Death than that of the old man, whom her parents desired her to wed.

"But parents are not in the habit of believing their daughters when they ride high horses, and make



MISS FRANCES MAYER  
... 'beautiful as a pink,' she caused a sensation here and in San Francisco a century ago.

melodramatic threats; consequently they did not believe her.

"Matters remained in status quo for some weeks, until Sunday last, and a young girl was missing, and a letter left for her parents, informing them that as they had persistently refused to allow her to associate with young and congenial spirits, and were constantly urging her to marry someone whose sole recommendation was that he possessed a plethoric bank account, she had determined to leave her home and become a Christian."

A few days later Frances Mayer wrote to The Call, but would not give her address. Here's her letter, also reprinted in The Colonist:—

"According to the rumors given in your article about me, my sudden disappearance has almost the appearance of a little romance.

"However, these rumors have not the least foundation in truth. Some thought I was forcibly put in some Catholic convent, they trying to make of me another Cracow nun, with the intent to raise up prejudice.

"In order to enlighten the public on my reasons for leaving the home of my parents, I avail myself of your well known kindness by requesting you to give publicity to this letter.

"I take this occasion to state beforehand that since my departure from the home of my parents, I have never put my foot within the door of any convent in California, nor have I held communication whatsoever with any such institution.

"To remove all doubts from the minds of the public I deem it proper to state that which I have done is of my own free will and nobody forced me to have recourse to such a method of separating me from my own.

"As for my motives for taking such a step I declare that I being since some time a member of the Catholic church, it became impossible for me to obey the rule of my conscience.

"On account of parents being extremely prejudiced against the Catholic religion, so much so that on a mere suspicion that I might have some intention of becoming a Christian, they made threats of such a nature that I would not mention here.

"Being of age, I thought I would avail myself of the privilege of the law, and I have taken this step in order to reclaim my own liberty and independence, particularly in a matter that regards my own conscience.

"It was prudent for me, in the beginning, to conceal myself and to avoid such vexations as could easily be anticipated.

"But when I learned that police agents were searching after me, in order to arrest me, and that warrants to this effect had been obtained from the court, I have used more precaution that they may not find me out.

"To have left my parental home is not a crime for me, since I am of age. They must have brought some other criminal charges against me before the court, in order to obtain warrants for my arrest.

"I have taken nothing with me but my clothing, and a few jewels that were given me by my parents and friends.

"If they think (which I cannot suppose to be the case), that I have no right to do such things I am ready to deprive myself of all of them to the last pin.

"I do not want to have any trouble for such trifles. God will provide for me.

"I have already proposed my terms to my family, and stated some conditions which I require that I may come out to the daylight to embrace my mother and other relatives. If they accept them, all right; if they do not, then I am resigned to live and die that way.

"Meantime, I declare that I am free, and implore the laws of the state to uphold my own freedom, my life and my honor.

"I beg Judge Provines, Chief Crowther, and the prosecutor-general to take notice of this, my letter, because the time will perhaps come when I shall be obliged to appeal to this document, as a protest against any attempts on my privilege, on the part of my family, or on the part of the sect to which they belong."

Where Miss Mayer spent the following years is not now known. She certainly seems to have 'gone into hiding, and it may be presumed that several times she came here to visit her friends, the Sisters of St. Ann.

In 1918, when the Sisters marked the 60th anniversary of the first four sisters' arrival here, Miss Mayer wrote her reminiscences in a souvenir journal, but she did so anonymously. Why she would not have her name used is another mystery, but there is no doubt it was she who did the writing.

Here, in part, is what she wrote:

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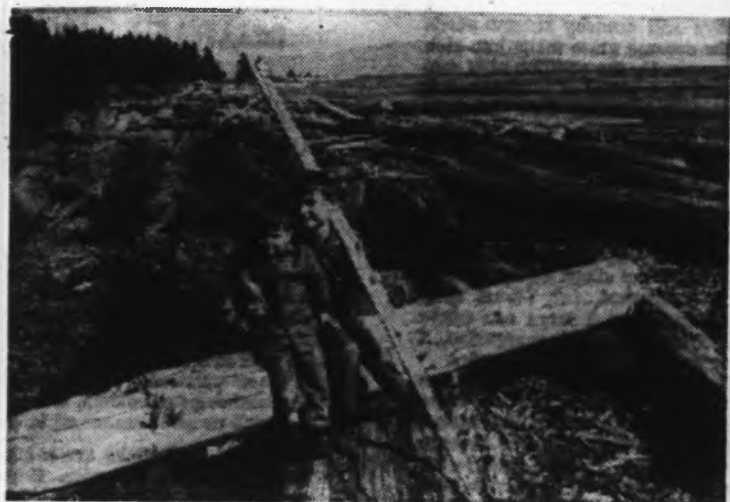
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SHORELINE FOR CAMPERS.



SANDY BEACH FOR YOUNGSTERS.

# Rathrevor Beach

By MARGARET SHARCOTT

*Tourists come each year to the sand beaches of Parksville. The construction of a good side road from the highway to the provincial park at Rathrevor Beach just south of Parksville brought many additional campers to the area. In fact, campers have told of waiting outside the gates in hopes that a departing camper would make a vacancy for them, so popular has this beach become.*

When I saw Rathrevor Beach last Easter it was certainly not crowded. Two truck campers were parked in widely separated sites beneath the dark firs and the glossy leaved arbutus, and that was all.

From our tourist cabin at the adjacent Beach Acres resort I set out to walk our dog as the sun rose glowing in a sky that promised a magnificent spring day. The dark, grey sands stretched far out to the pale blue Strait of Georgia. The mainland mountains were muted pink and white by the faint industrial haze of the modern Gulf.

We had driven up-Island from Victoria the previous day. After a short jaunt to the Alberni Valley we had come down to Parksville intent on finding accommodation in the area. About three miles south of the main village we turned into the country lane that led to Beach Acres, a 40-acre estate, now a resort. We took a comfortable cabin with a priceless view of the Gulf from its setting on the curving shores of Northwest Bay.

A cod fisherman worked off the sands as dusk turned the green firs to black silhouettes, and the vague bulk of Lasqueti Island, 10 miles away disappeared. The beam from Bullenas Island flashed rhythmically.

That Easter week morning curiosity drew me in the direction of the newly-acquired provincial park. Part of Rathrevor Beach had been in provincial government hands for some years, but the remainder of the property had been acquired by the Tahsis Logging Company only after the death of the Rathes. In order to gain title to this

desirable park the province gave the logging company a stand of virgin timber on the Burman River in Strathcona Park, a costly exchange to my mind. I wanted to see what we had got for the sad desecration that is taking place in the Island's biggest park.

Although I can not condone the unnecessary logging of Strathcona Park, and the possible ruination of one of the area's most valuable rivers, I must acknowledge that Rathrevor Beach is indeed a lovely seaside spot that should be available to the public. Why then didn't someone have the foresight to buy it when money instead of trees could have been used for barter?

Rathrevor Beach was known to campers long before it became a provincial campsite. Old George Rath himself nailed together many of the rustic tables and benches that indicate campsites, and for many years he personally supervised the grounds.

Member of a pioneer family, George Rath spent most of his life in the vicinity of the beach and the surrounding bush where he hunted cougars whenever the big cats showed themselves. When he died in 1964 the Parksville area and the campers who had come from near and far mourned the passing of a fine man.

It is nearly a hundred years now since the long sandy beaches of Parksville thrilled the first settlers. John Hirst visited the area in 1876, liked what he saw, and came back four years later to build his house on the south side of Englishman River in the vicinity of the present day Rathrevor Beach.

It was a lonely land of tall timber, where bear, cougar, and deer all thrived. Each fall and winter wild ducks, geese, and brant blackened the sea off the beaches and rested in quiet river pools.

There was no road south, and supplies were shipped to the settlers via a steamboat which discharged its cargo into waiting rowboats until a wharf was built at Beaver Creek near the Hirst estate. Twice yearly the settlers transported home by ox cart, flour, sugar, rice, raisins and other basic staples.

In 1884, the Parks, the family who were to give their name to the existing village of Parksville, arrived at the Hirst homestead. It was early August and the sands were warm and pleasant.

Mrs. Parks, though, experienced some uncomfortable moments. The fine old firs at the rear of the house sheltered many wild animals. One day as she went outside to check on the activities of her first baby she saw a shadowy shape at the edge of clearing stalking the child.

She snatched up the baby, and rushed off to tell her husband. He was unconcerned. "Just like a woman, always imagining things," he said.

But Mrs. Parks persisted until her husband with a shake of the head and much muttering about women in general called in a hunter. The dogs promptly caught the scent and treed a cougar which was shot.

After that the yard was fenced and Mrs. Parks felt much more secure. It wasn't long, however before she found that an ordinary fence didn't do much to stop a cougar.

As the children grew older they often slept on the porch where the sea breezes cooled the warm summer evenings. On one end of the porch there was a screened meat safe. One evening a cougar, catching the scent of venison in the safe, padded across the clearing and pounced on to the porch. With a swift slap of his muscular paw he broke the latch, and bounded away with the meat in his mouth just as Mrs. Parks emerged from the house.

Another time one of the children called his mother to see the big pussy by the gate. To quiet the insistent child Mrs. Parks looked, and if she had been the delicate type she would have fainted immediately. A cougar was sweeping his forepaw under the gate in an attempt to reach the child.

In spite of wild animals and pioneer difficulties the Parks prospered. In 1886 the Englishman River post office was established with Mr. Parks as its first postmaster. The following year another post office opened up-Island at French Creek to serve the expanding area.

These two post offices also served the settlers of Lasqueti Island. On the arrival of mail for the islanders, Mr. Parks lit a huge bonfire on the beach. When the watchful islanders saw the blaze they knew mail had arrived for them.

Once nobody came until a week after the bonfire had been lit. The Parks began to wonder if the bonfire had been seen, and before long they began to hope it had not.

But someone had seen the blaze; the Lasqueti islanders were just too busy with chores to make the day-long trip for anything so trivial as mail. When they did arrive it was too late.

"There was a lot of mail for you," Mr. Parks announced, "but when you didn't come it just lay around, and my tame deer ate it."

Probably the settlers felt like lighting another bonfire to roast the tame deer, but they refrained.

By 1910 when horse and coach travel had given way to the Esquimalt-Nanaimo railway, a thriving settlement had developed in this mid-Island section. The railway stop was known as McBride Junction in honor of Premier McBride who was then in office. However, a town in the interior of the province was also called McBride, a situation that caused considerable confusion. Therefore, McBride Junction was changed to Parksville, perpetuating the old settler's name.

Today, 1,300 people call Parksville-home, and at least that many again visit the sandy beaches each year. Gone are the days when cougars stalked the bush; tourism has taken over where pioneer homesteading left off. Rathrevor Beach, the biggest and best provincial campsite in the area, will attract many more thousands over the next few years.



Our first recipe is called Golden Crown Casserole because it is topped with a golden wreath of canned whole yams (or sweet potatoes canned or cooked). The yams are sprinkled with

brown sugar, butter and crunchy sesame seeds and baked until the sesame glaze melts into rich caramel over the yams. By the addition of ¼ cup toasted almonds and ½ a pound of mushrooms it can become an elegant company dish. Great as the main dish for a buffet dinner . . . it will stay hot and tempting for a reasonably long time if you have an electric warming tray.

**BASIC GOLDEN CROWN CASSEROLE . . .**  
 1½ pounds lean stewing beef, ¼ cup flour, 1 tsp.  
 salt, 2 Tbsp. vegetable oil, 2 medium onions  
 peeled and quartered, 1 cup sliced celery (cut on  
 bias), 1 clove garlic crushed, two 7½-oz. cans  
 tomato sauce, ¼ cup water, 1 large can whole  
 yams drained, 2 Tbsp. butter or margarine, 2  
 Tbsp. brown sugar and 2 Tbsp. sesame seeds.

Coat the beef with flour and salt and toss in a 2½ quart casserole with the vegetable oil. Place in a preheated 425 degrees F. oven for 30 minutes, stirring once. Add onions, celery, garlic, tomato sauce and water. Mix well. Reduce heat to 350 degrees F. cover and bake for 1½ hours or until meat is tender. Remove from oven and arrange yams around edge of casserole, dot with butter (or melt and pour over), sprinkle with the brown sugar and sesame seeds. Bake uncovered 15 or 20 minutes more or until yams are thoroughly heated and glazed. If yams are very large they can be split lengthwise before arranging on top of casserole. Serves 6. You can make this casserole ahead and refrigerate overnight. Leave the yam topping until reheating time. Just reheat the casserole and top with the yams about 20 minutes before serving time.

**Meatball Minestrone** can be made in a casserole . . . it is a hearty family meal that requires only about 40 to 45 minutes cooking time.

**MEATBALL MINESTRONE CASSEROLE**  
... 1 pound lean ground beef, 1 egg, ¼ cup cracker crumbs, ¼ cup finely chopped onion, 1 tsp. salt, 1 tsp. MSG, pepper to taste, two 7½-oz. cans tomato sauce with mushrooms, 2½ cups water, 1 can, 15 oz. red kidney beans undrained, 1

## MEATBALL MINESTRONE CASSEROLE



cup sliced celery, ½ cup UNCOOKED elbow macaroni, ½ tsp. oregano and ¼ tsp. thyme. Combine beef, egg, cracker crumbs, onion, salt, MSG, pepper. Shape into 16 meatballs. Brown these well in a heavy skillet. Drain off excess fat and place meatballs in an overproof casserole. Add remaining ingredients. Cover and bake 40 to 45 minutes or until macaroni is tender.

**Poppy seed sticks** are a good companion for almost any casserole. Here is a quick recipe using refrigerated biscuits. 1 can refrigerated biscuits, 2 Tbsp. melted butter or margarine and 3 tsp. poppy seeds. Cut biscuits in half and roll into sticks in palms of your hands. Brush with melted butter and sprinkle with poppy seeds. Bake on ungreased baking sheet in 475 degree F. oven, to golden.

When time's flying and the family is "starving," let a can opener be your best friend. This combo is as delicious as it is quick.

**TUNA JACKSTRAW CASSEROLE . . . 1 can**  
 (4 cups) shoestring potatoes, 1 can cream  
 of mushroom soup, 1 can tuna drained, 1 small can  
 undiluted evaporated milk, 1-3 oz. can whole  
 or sliced mushrooms and ¼ cup chopped pimiento.  
 Reserve 1 cup of the shoestring potatoes for  
 topping. Combine remaining potatoes and other  
 ingredients. Pour into a 1½ quart casserole.  
 Arrange reserved potatoes on top. Bake un-  
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**DEAR FOLKS:**

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Every time I go over to her house I find tricky ideas that she thinks everybody knows, but few people do.

You've seen those little, old-fashioned washboards you can buy at grocery and dime stores? Well, Lizzy has one nailed to her kitchen wall with little magnets holding her notes to the metal part. Tied to one leg

the way Lizzy uses it is when she wants to do a small washing, she just removes the notes and clippings and hangs them on her stove with the magnets.

These boards would make adorable shower gifts. And think how terrific they'd look if you painted or stained the wood!

DEAR HELOISE:

I made a handy sock bag  
to hang in my closet.

I first cut an 18"x28" piece of heavy denim material. Next I hemmed one end, folded it over a wooden hanger and sewed it by

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ham, apples and sweet potatoes . . .

HAM AND APPLE CASSEROLE . . . 3  
medium size apples, 3 sweet potatoes cooked  
and sliced, 1 tsp. dry mustard, 2 cups diced  
cooked ham (could be the end of cottage roll or  
ham), 1/2 cup apple juice or water and 4 Tbsp.  
brown sugar.

Peel, core and slice apples into rings.  
Arrange apple rounds, sliced cooked sweet  
potatoes and ham, in layers in a greased  
casserole. End with apple rounds. Sprinkle each  
layer lightly with salt. Pour apple juice over.  
Cover and bake in a 350-degree F. oven for 40 to  
50 minutes or until apples are soft. Remove  
cover. Mix brown sugar and mustard. Sprinkle  
over top of apples and return to oven for about 10  
more minutes.

And here is as handsome a combination  
of flavors as your taste buds could wish for, it  
is enhanced and savory with mushrooms,  
bacon, rosemary and bay leaf.

CHICKEN-VEGETABLE CASSEROLE . . . 2  
strips bacon, a 3 to 4 pound broiler-fryer chicken,  
4 small potatoes, 4 carrots, 1 green pepper, 2  
stalks celery, 4 small onions, 12 mushrooms, 3  
tomatoes, 2 tsp. salt, pepper to taste, 2 bay  
leaves, 1 tsp. rosemary and 1 cup water or  
chicken broth.

Prepare vegetables first . . . pare potatoes  
and cut in half, pare carrots and cut in 2-inch  
chunks, trim seeds and ribs from green pepper

cut in strips and cut celery in 1-inch pieces. Peel  
and quarter onions, wipe mushrooms, chop stems  
and leave caps whole, peel and quarter tomatoes.  
Preheat oven to 375 degrees F. and get out a 3-  
quart casserole. Cut bacon strips in half  
crosswise and lay in bottom of the casserole. Cut  
chicken into serving size pieces and arrange on  
top of bacon. Although the recipe doesn't call for  
it, I like to brown the chicken first. This is  
optional. Sprinkle with part of salt and pepper.  
Now top with layers of prepared vegetables,  
ending with the tomatoes. Push the bay leaves  
down into the vegetables, sprinkle the surface  
with rosemary, and the remaining salt and  
pepper. Pour water or broth over all. Cover and  
bake for about 1 1/2 hours or until all is tender.

Dessert too can be baked in a casserole.  
Here is one of our favorites . . .

APPLE CAKE MERINGUE . . . 3 large  
apples (Delicious are good in this recipe as they  
don't cook to a mush), 1 cup sugar, 1 cup water,  
6 squares of sponge or pound cake, 1/2 cup orange  
marmalade, 1/2 cup orange juice, 3 egg whites and  
2 Tbsp. light brown sugar. Wash and pare apples,  
cut in half crosswise, remove core. Make syrup of  
sugar and water and cook apples in this for about  
25 minutes or until tender. Drain apples, reserving  
syrup. Place cake in a shallow casserole. Place  
apple half on each piece of cake. Boil syrup down  
until slightly thickened. Combine syrup with  
orange juice. Pour over apples. Add a spoonful  
marmalade to each apple-topped square. Whip  
egg whites till foamy, gradually beat in sugar.  
Heap meringue on top of apples. Brown in 325  
degree F. oven. Takes about 15 minutes. Serve  
warm or cold.

BRIDE'S CORNER

CASSEROLE TOPPINGS . . .

To make a casserole seem like a brand new dish . . . change the toppings.  
Crushed potato chips, corn chips or pretzels are all good. May be fine crushed  
or coarse.

There is a great variety of flavors and shapes in crackers. Crush fine and  
mix with grated cheese or just crumble coarsely.

Bread cubes, tossed in butter or margarine, and toasted are great for  
toppings.

Try Chinese noodles or canned shoe string potatoes.

Use cooked buttered noodles, French fried onion rings or chopped nuts.

Use deviled egg halves, cheese slices, canned pineapple rings, canned peach  
halves, wiener slices, mashed potatoes or sliced cooked white or sweet potatoes.



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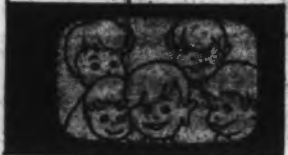
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hand.  
This makes a good bag as  
is, but I added a seam down  
the center so I could keep  
my good socks in one sec-  
tion and everyday ones in  
the other. Nancy Vecera

DEAR HELOISE:  
A little tip for those using  
tea bags when brewing tea.  
Straighten the inside curl  
of a paper clip, forming an  
"S" hook.

Hook one end in the tea  
bag string and the other  
over the rim of the contain-  
er. No more tabs and strings  
falling into the hot water.  
A Friend

DEAR HELOISE:  
We have five children and  
cannot afford a color tele-  
vision. But many of their



friends have one. So you  
know what I did?  
I bought a sheet of light  
blue transparent plastic and  
taped it to the GLASS cover  
on our television.

Now guess what?  
Instead of black and  
white, we now have our own  
29-cent color TV!  
Now, don't you think I  
was bright for a housewife?  
Mom

Honey child, I not only  
think you are smart, but I  
think you are brilliant!  
I spent 90 cents and tried  
your idea. I bought pastel  
blue, green and amber cel-  
lophane. This really changes  
the color scheme!

I also taped mine onto  
the GLASS front (not the  
tube itself or a synthetic  
front—which some are). If  
your TV front isn't glass,  
cut the cellophane larger  
than the screen. Tape it to  
the METAL and use the  
kind of tape that comes off  
easily without marring the  
cabinet. Heloise

DEAR HELOISE:  
Last week I took an um-  
brella to the store to have a

This feature is writ-  
ten for you . . . the  
housewife and home-  
maker. If you have a  
hint, problem or sug-  
gestion you'd like to  
share . . . write to Helo-  
ise today in care of this  
newspaper. 2-16

new tip put on it, and since  
I had lost the cover I also  
asked about getting a new  
one. It was rather expensive,  
so I got the idea of making  
one from an old necktie.

I cut off the small end of  
a discarded tie and hemmed  
it. On the wide end I sewed  
some rickrack for decora-  
tion, then attached a rhine-  
stone button to a looped  
piece of elastic and secured  
this near the top.

My umbrella slipped right  
down in it beautifully, and  
the elastic, stretched over  
the handle, held it in place.  
Rea Brogan

"DEAR SON:"



DEAR HELOISE:  
An idea for those with  
loved ones overseas . . .  
I have found that a few  
separate sticks of chewing  
gum fit nicely in a letter  
and will go for just one air-  
mail stamp.

I always include some  
gum in letters to our boy,  
and he says getting this  
little taste of home is truly  
enjoyed. Mrs. R. E. Baker

DEAR HELOISE:

If you have a slip with  
the pleated ruffle at the  
bottom, and it is too long  
for the new styles, all you  
have to do is pull the loose  
thread it is sewn by and the  
ruffle comes right off. This  
will leave you with a nice,  
trim slip.

Just be sure that your  
slip has the inset between  
the slip and ruffle so you  
will have a neat hem.  
Mary Johnson

DEAR HELOISE:

I help my mother take her  
clothes off the line on wash-  
day.

As I take them off, I fold  
and put them in my doll  
buggy. It is so easy just to  
push the clothes into the  
house. Saves her lifting a  
heavy laundry basket too.  
Barbara Steiner

Now, there's a sweetie-pie  
daughter! Heloise

DEAR HELOISE:

This one is too good to  
keep quiet!  
For those who have  
aquariums, a ball of nylon



net fastened with a rubber  
band makes a wonderful  
hiding place for those new-  
born fish so they won't be  
eaten by the large fish.

I use a light-color net so  
it doesn't show. Now I  
have about eight to twelve  
baby guppies in it and they  
swim in and out at will.  
Carol Ledford

DEAR HELOISE:

You probably have seen  
the knitted bedroom slippers  
many grandmothers make  
for their grandchildren.  
My youngsters liked these  
much better after I made  
soles for the slippers out of  
synthetic leather.

I used thongs for a pat-  
tern and cut the soles out of  
remnants which I got from  
an upholstery shop. This  
material is easy to cut and  
sew, and it's washable.

Keep the children's feet  
warmer and makes the slip-  
pers sturdier. Helen Kludt



The story of the Jamieson brothers is one of the most intriguing tragedies in northwest maritime history.

There were six brothers in the Jamieson family of Brodick. One became a clergyman and remained in Scotland, but Robert, Smith, Archibald and an unnamed brother chose to try their luck in

From the wind-swept shores of Isle Arran they came, five brothers seeking their fortunes in the new land. But the seagoing Jamiesons, unlike most pioneers, were not to enjoy the fruits of courage and hard work; instead, they were to meet sudden, violent death.

By T. W. PATERSON

## RIVER RAPIDS BROUGHT TRAGEDY TO STEAMING JAMIESONS

the booming steamboat fleets of the Pacific Northwest. James, "baby" of the family, was left to complete his apprenticeship as machinist in a Firth of Clyde shipyard.

Smith and Archibald decided upon the white, rock-studded rapids of British Columbia's Fraser River, while Robert and the other brother joined the riverboat trade of Oregon. The sturdy Scotsmen soon made names for themselves throughout the northwest for their reliability and skill as swiftwater pilots. Then, in 1857, tragedy struck for the first time. Robert's steamer, the Portland, was carried over Willamette Falls.

Then there were four.

When several Yale businessmen formed the Yale Steam Navigation Company, they raised sufficient funds to build a steamer "second to no boat on the northern waters." Costing \$23,000 then a considerable sum for a riverboat, the Fort Yale was touted as being the finest craft braving the Fraser's treacherous rapids. During her first five months of service, under the able command of popular Capt. Baird Jamieson, the new steamboat maintained a busy schedule between Yale and New Westminster.

On her last voyage, she had cleared Westminster and headed upriver on schedule. It was just above Hope at the murderous narrows known as Union Bar Riffle, that disaster found the Jamiesons a second time, April 14, 1861.

Twenty-six-year-old Smith Jamieson was at the helm. 10 minutes before the accident, talking with passengers H. Lee Alley, Capt. William Irving of the rival steamer Colonel Moody, and George Landvoigt. When the dinner bell rang, Capt. Irving had offered to stand Jamieson's watch while he ate with the others.

To which Jamieson had laughed, "No, you don't! No opposition steamboat captain can steer this boat for me!" And with that, a grinning Irving had followed his fellow passengers to the saloon. Actually, Mr. Alley had lingered some moments as he was not hungry, then decided to join his companions.

They left Capt. Jamieson in the pilothouse with crewman James Allison—and but minutes to live.

The passengers had just begun dinner when, without the slightest warning, Fort Yale disintegrated in a horrendous blast as her boiler exploded.

"The noise," express agent Alley later described, "resembled, together with the crash, a heavy blow upon a sharp-sounding Chinese gong. The cabin floor raised and then fell in: at the same time the hurricane roof fell upon us, cutting our heads more or less, and blocking up all

means of escape forward of the dinner table. We quickly made for the windows and doors in the after-part of the cabin, and got on the roof of the hurricane house, and there beheld a scene that baffles all description, and such as I trust I may never witness again.

"The boat, but a few seconds before nobly bucking against the swift current, was now a sinking mass of ruins from stem to stern—scarcely anything remaining in sight above water, but a small portion of her bow and the after part of her saloon, and those gradually disappearing below water.

"Firewood, trunks, barrels, boxes, and thousands of splinters from the wreck were floating on the water," he continued. "Five or six human beings, their faces streaming with blood, and presenting an awful appearance, were struggling for life. Several jumped overboard, but on seeing the roof still afloat, desired to be hauled aboard again, and were got on by those of us on the roof—the port side of which was five inches out of water away aft, and the starboard side about level with the water. All the time we were floating downstream rapidly towards Hope."

Twenty minutes after the blast, the frightened, stunned and bleeding survivors still clinging to their swirling raft, several Indian canoes appeared, paddling desperately to overtake the wreck. Finally pulling alongside the gallant natives took off most of the injured. Capt. Irving, a Capt. Grant of the Royal Engineers, Mr. Alley and several other volunteers remained with the hulk, intending to halt its frenzied flight downriver.

As the smoking ruin hurtled through the rapids, the men attempted to throw a line ashore in hopes of stopping her "if possible from going below Hope. But it was all in vain, for as soon as we got fast the line and the stern of the boat came to bear on it, (it) snapped like twine, although a large-sized hawser of 2½ inches in diameter. We tried twice or three times, and gave it up, and away she went down to the first bar below Hope, and there she lodged a total wreck."

Hope blacksmith Samuel Powers, fireman Joel Osborne (also known as James Growler), cook Joshua Buchanan and an unidentified deckhand had been killed instantly in the blast. James Allison, in the pilothouse with Jamieson, had been blown skyward, but miraculously, fell back into the wreckage suffering little more than a bruising. Engineer McGreavy, at his post in the engineer room, was saved by the fact the boat's freight was between him and the boiler. Thomas King, deckhand, was not as fortunate; a leg had to be amputated below the knee. Several other crew members and passengers were injured slightly.

Of poor Smith Jamieson there was not a trace — "a man standing on shore saw Capt. Jamieson go up into the air among the splinters." The wreckage and both banks of the river for some miles were thoroughly searched without success, and it was feared he had been "blown to atoms."

The *Colonist* mourned the missing mariner. "Although only a short time on the river, yet by

his quiet, gentlemanly and honorable deportment, he has secured the good will of all and the warm esteem and friendship of many ... As a navigator he was skilful, fearless and successful; as a captain, a universal favorite; and as a gentleman, unspotted."

"Poor Jamieson!" said friend Alley. "He was a quiet, unassuming man, of noble and generous impulses, and none who understood his nature as I did could but like him and mourn his untimely end."

Jamieson was to have been married that week.

Pieces of Fort Yale's ruptured boiler were found half a mile from the scene of disaster. Blacksmith Powers' body had been found on the shore, far from the wreck. The force of the explosion had stripped him of every piece of clothing.

Days later, search parties still hunted for Jamieson's body, deckhand King lay near death. Inspector of Steamers Westgarth opened an investigation into the tragedy, salvors stripped the wreck of the cargo and machinery, and Osborne and Powers were buried at Hope. The Yale's helm, only slightly damaged, was recovered by Indians below Harrison River.

In Victoria, patrons of the Brown Jug Saloon viewed a twisted piece of the ill-fated steamer's boiler over their beer. Those who knew about such things solemnly pronounced the grim memento to be "composed of very inferior metal."

A reader wrote *The Colonist*: "Poor Jamieson was beloved by all 'poor travellers,' and long will his loss be felt by those who can appreciate the commendation—too rarely found—of careful skill and gentlemanly bearing."

Now there were but three seagoing Jamiesons.

The final, tragic act in the life of 35-year-old Archibald and "baby" James had begun months before, in the early summer of 1860, when the keel of a sidewheel steamer was laid in Inner Harbor. Designed to run between Victoria, Harrison River and Hope, the building steamer was Capt. Archibald's pride and joy. "The greatest care was bestowed upon her construction and one of the most experienced shipbuilders on the Pacific Coast came from San Francisco to superintend the work."

"As the vessel was fashioned into shape day by day her elegant lines won general admiration. She was meant to have speed and with this object in view engines and boiler of special design and great capacity and strength were ordered from Glasgow before the keel was laid here."

It had been intended the Cariboo be ready that fall, but a series of mishaps delayed her completion by almost a year. Once, when finishing touches were being applied to her hull, timbers supporting her gave way, plunging the mammoth weight onto workers. One man died instantly, two were seriously injured — one man maimed for life.

When the hull had been raised and reset in its cradle, work continued. Finally came the day of launching. But, instead of gliding down the ways as expected, the recalcitrant lady, christened



Cariboo, stuck fast. And there she remained until harried workers jacked her, inch by inch, into the sea.

Then, as if all this had not been enough, Capt. Jamieson encountered yet another delay; her engines had not arrived. In fact, they did not reach Victoria until the following spring when—finally—the machinery arrived. The same ship brought a second pleasant surprise for Jamieson, then in mourning for brother Smith: Young James — "tall, stalwart . . . of about 24 years" — he had completed his apprenticeship and was following in his brothers' footsteps.

It was arranged that William Allen, unemployed since his ship Caledonia's boiler exploded, would be hired as temporary engineer, James to assume charge after a few voyages. In July, 1861, ill-starred Cariboo completed her maiden voyage to Harrison River, developing "great power and speed . . . The Cariboo's performances gave satisfaction to (Archibald)."

Midnight, Aug. 2, 1861, Cariboo lay at her dock at the foot of Bastion Street. Among the crowd of well-wishers bidding farewell to adventurers setting out for the Cariboo goldfields was early-day journalist David W. Higgins, there to see friend Count Paul De Garro off to the interior. The friends shook hands, then De Garro and his faithful black retriever boarded the steamer.

Sailing time came and passed without the arrival of Capt. Jamieson. Although steam was up, Cariboo ready to sail on schedule, Archibald was not to be seen. When he still failed to appear, Higgins decided he could wait no longer and walked to his quarters at the corner of Birdcage Walk and Belleville Street, beside Inner Harbor.

"I retired to bed, but for the life of me I could not sleep. A little clock on the mantel struck one and then half-past one o'clock and still I tossed from side to side. Sleep, although wooed with ardor, would not come to me. I was possessed with a strong feeling that an indefinable horrible something was about to occur."

"Every little while I could hear the Cariboo blowing off what seemed to be 'dry' steam in long-drawn volumes and disrupting the night air with the shrill notes of her whistle for miles around which must have disturbed others beside myself. At last I heard the 'cher-cher-cher' of the paddles and then I knew that the Cariboo was off."

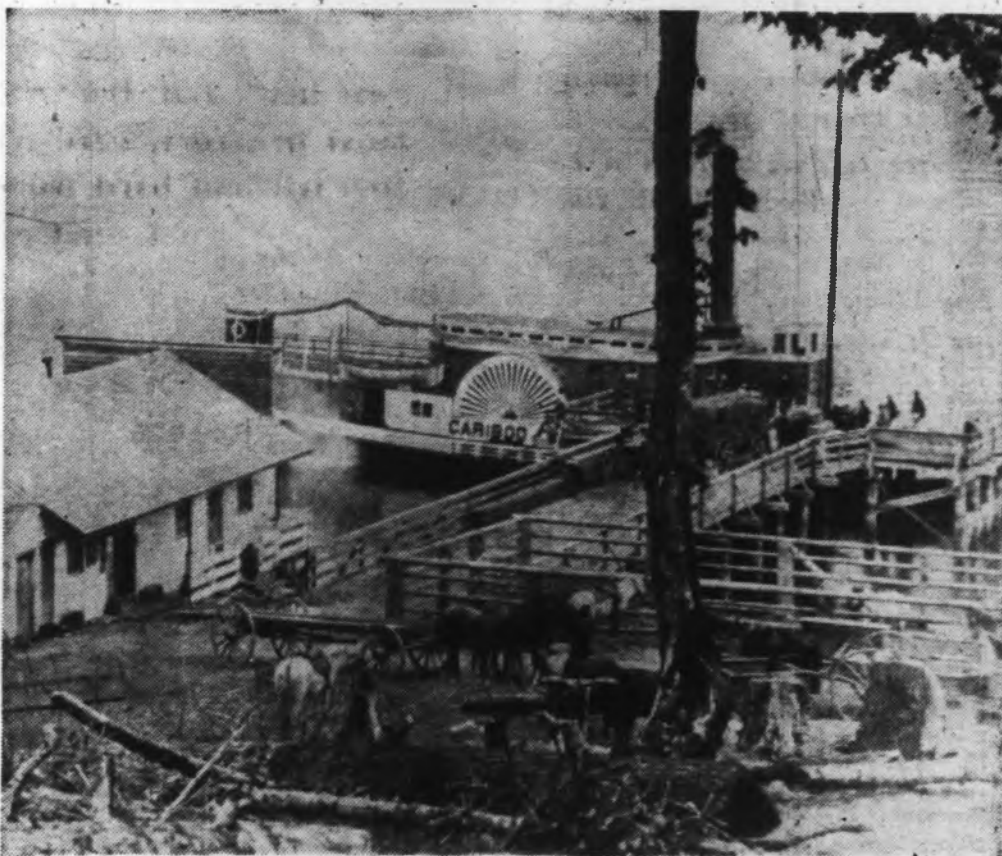
At last, thought a relieved Higgins, he could sleep. As the sounds of the departing steamer grew fainter, he settled back, when — "A rending, tearing, splitting sound fell upon my ears."

"The 'cher-cher-cher' ceased instantly and the house shook as from the convulsive throb of an earthquake. The little timepiece on the mantel which had just chimed two trembled, reeled and stopped as if affrighted by the shock. In an instant I comprehended what had happened."

"The Cariboo had blown up!"

Alas, Higgins was all too correct. Just off what is now Fisherman's Wharf, Cariboo had been splintered by an awesome blast as her boiler erupted. Higgins hastily pulled on his clothing and ran for the hook and ladder company's fire bell but was beaten by a young woman. With the bell arousing residents not awakened by the blast, Higgins ran for the waterfront, meeting a Scotchman named Wallace. The two men impressed a boat at the wharf and rowed desperately for the scene of carnage.

"The dim light of approaching day enabled us to discern the late fateful craft lying a helpless, misshapen mass and drifting with the tide . . . A few lanterns were moving fitfully



Tragic steamer Cariboo, shown here when salvaged and renamed Cariboo and Fly.

among the ruins. The upper deck had fallen in and the lower deck had been blown to pieces, but fortunately the bottom was unimpaired, and as the wreck did not sink it was towed into a little cove and anchored there for safekeeping. In the water at the side of the steamer we found the dead body of James Jamieson, the second engineer . . . Capt. Jamieson had disappeared, nor was any trace of him found for many days when the sea gave up his mutilated form."

Fraser River pilot Henry Gray had been standing at Capt. Jamieson's side but moments before the blast when he stepped out of the pilothouse to adjust the binnacle lamp. The next Gray knew, he was standing on the main deck uninjured, the hurricane deck in splinters about him. A passenger had been standing beside young James at the boiler, talking. "When the steam and smoke had cleared the passenger found himself near the spot where he stood when the explosion occurred while the engineer had been killed." Chief Engineer Allen and Mate John Sparks were found in the shattered debris; they had died instantly.

The body of Higgins' friend, Paul De Garro, was later found in the sea.

"Pieces of the boiler," Higgins recalled 45 years after, "the iron of which was of unusual thickness, were picked up on the boat and a few fragments were found on the shore. What remained of the shell of the boiler was deposited on the beach near the tragic scene. I saw it lying there 35 years after the calamity. It was covered with barnacles . . ."

Engineer Allen was censured at the inquest for negligence, the coroner's jury ruling "the

cause of the explosion was too little water in the boiler. When the steam was blown off in vast volumes the boiler was emptied and when the water was turned on it fell on red hot plates with the natural result."

Like the helm of the Fort Yale, that of Cariboo was found in the water, undamaged. Archibald had had the wheel in his hands at the time of the blast; as had brother Smith when killed. Fate had been even unkind to Archibald. But days before, he had turned down a handsome offer for his new ship. Long after the disaster, editor Higgins learned why Jamieson had been late in sailing that tragic morning of Aug. 2, 1861. He had "had a presentiment of evil and wished to remain in port till the next day."

Sadly, he had changed his mind and sailed, two and a-half hours later.

Victoria's last link with the ill-fated brothers was a headstone in Pioneer Square, long since removed. The inscription read:

"In memory of Smith Baird Jamieson, who lost his life by the explosion of the steamer Yale on the Fraser River, 14th April, 1861. Also Archibald Jamieson, and James Baird Jamieson, who are interred here, and who lost their lives by the explosion of the steamer Cariboo in Victoria Harbor, 2nd August, 1861. Three brothers, sons of the late Robert Jamieson, Brodick, Isle of Arran, Scotland."

With the deaths of Archibald and James, only one Jamieson, the unnamed brother, remained in the northwest swiftwater fleet. Then . . . the bitter cycle was complete. His steamer, the Gazelle, blew up in Oregon.

And then there were none.

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talent for precision flying and joined the RCAF team, the forerunner of the Golden Hawks. Later he flew commercially on a fishery patrol and as a bush pilot in the northland. When Trans-Canada Airlines started he became a senior pilot and pioneered many flights, including the first trans-Canada and trans-Atlantic. Pakistan sought out a man to plan its air transport services and selected McGregor. He has now discarded his flying togs and is back in Victoria building high-rises and promoting other projects.

As engines became more power-

## Victoria's Hope for Air Supremacy

ful and noisy, opposition to the operation of Lansdowne as an airport, increased, especially from the Royal Jubilee Hospital. The planes, in takeoff under full power, passed directly over the hospital at a low altitude and this, the hospital claimed, had a detrimental effect on the patients.

Those of us interested in keeping aviation alive here sought a new field and we picked the acreage at Gordon Head, now the campus of the University of Victoria. I recalled one cool Saturday when, as chairman of the industrial committee of City Council, I had invited the mayor, reeves and council repre-

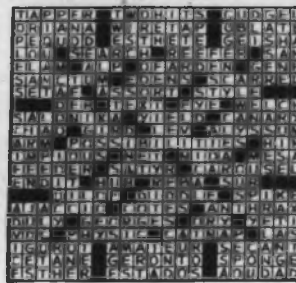
sentatives to assemble there and meet Minister of Transport C. D. Howe and pressure him into creating an airport there.

Howe was reluctant to do anything and, looking back, it was wise not to have carried out our plans, as the area, now a delightful residential setting, with the fine landscaping of the campus, would have been adversely affected. An airport there would sooner or later have been forced out by the criticism of hostile residents.

When the Second World War broke out, Victoria's airport problem was solved with the building of the Pat Bay complex. At the end of the

war, it became our International Airport. And, it didn't cost Victoria a cent.

## ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE



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# A PROUD RECORD

By MARGARET WILLIAMS

*In November of last year 155 Company of the Royal Canadian Army Service Corps lost its Commanding Officer, Maj. Jack Rowe. Upon his retirement Maj. Ted Piete took over as C.O. with Capt. Ron Johnstone as his second in command and Capt. Diane McBratney as his administrative officer. Over the years Maj. Rowe made a splendid contribution to the Company and he leaves behind a unit with a fine record of achievement. On Nov. 3 last his unit attended the change of command parade. Their smart appearance and bearing was a credit to the outfit and to Maj. Rowe.*

The 155 Company started as a platoon attached to 25 Medical Company and then as an independent platoon with headquarters with 156 Company in Vancouver. In March 1959 the platoon became a company. The first years were devoted primarily to the permanent establishment of the company and the physical building-up and in the period following emphasis was placed on individual qualification and Company achievement.

The first C.O. of the company was Maj. Andy Green and that same year, 1959, Maj. Jack Rowe joined the company as a lieutenant. Prior to that time he had served with 13 Field Ambulance and 25 Medical Company as private, corporal, and eventually junior officer. He was appointed training officer and second in command and promoted to captain in Sept. 1960. With the retirement of Maj. Green in October, 1962, Maj. Rowe was promoted to his present rank, becoming the second C.O. of the company.

Originally a highway transport unit and now basically a land transport unit the role of 155 Company is to supply all transport needs of other units. The company numbers 95, including the Canadian Women's Army Corps, about 20 in

number. Primary roles of the unit are in mobile command and they also handle transport requirements of all militia and cadet units on Vancouver Island. They have the job, too, of providing transport sections for summer and military camps. They train each summer at Calgary or Wainwright, Alberta.

Driver training is actually the major job of the unit, says Major Piete, and a year-round problem. A civilian driver, for example, might take the BCMA course and with 10 hours maximum driving experience, obtain a licence.

To have a military drivers' licence a minimum of 60 hours instruction is required. A driver must know convoy procedures, cross-country driving, night driving with-out lights, vehicle camouflage and map reading.

He must know how to read and make up route cards and do light repairs and maintenance of vehicles. A driver-tradesman would also have to know the intricacies of vehicle loading, various methods of loading and off-loading troops, procedures for handling fresh rations, petroleum products, various types of explosives and ammunition and, of course, be thoroughly conversant with the replenishment system of the army in the field.

Many drivers are high school and university students who are able to train during the winter and go off to army camps in the summer at



MAJ. TED PIETE  
... commanding officer.



MAJ. JACK ROWE  
... recently retired.

Vernon, Vancouver, Chilliwack, Work Point Barracks or Albert Head on Vancouver Island. Here they serve as drivers, instructors or as transport administrators. This is actually an excellent summer job for students. There is, says Major Piete, always a crying need for drivers for the unit from the age of 16 to 36. A recruit joining the unit in January or February could be eligible for full summer employment that same summer.

The 155 Company have also a clerical staff and a cooking staff. A cookery course for men and women will be started almost immediately. Cooking, in this instance, is a different thing from cooking in a kitchen. One cooks for large numbers, orders vast quantities of food, and performs the task in a tent or even under a tree.

The vehicles for the company come in all shapes and sizes. Mostly they are the 2½-ton standard military pattern vehicle which is designed to take 2½ tons of cargo literally anywhere. They have, also, domestic three-ton cargos, four-wheel drive, three-quarter-ton cargos, econolines, panels, jeeps and ambulances.

The administrative officer, Capt.

Diane McBratney, is the officer in charge of the CWAC contingent of the unit. These people carry out all clerical work necessary, and there is a great deal. They also handle part of the on-road driving and do a good part in the running of the transport control, no small matter considering the number of vehicles.

The 155 Company is the only independent service corps company in Western Canada, that is, it is not under command of a battalion commander or attached to any other unit. The company has a proud record of achievement and has taken the award for the best all-round service corps unit in western Canada for the last four consecutive years and is second in Canada. It won the Pearkes trophy last fall as the best all-round minor unit in the Pacific Command.

A person recruited to the primary reserve enlists for a three-year period but may get out at any time. All uniforms and equipment are provided, on loan, for their period of service.

All members of the unit are active in civilian life. Maj. Piete teaches laboratory sciences at St.

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ARMY GIRLS LEARN VEHICLE MAINTENANCE.



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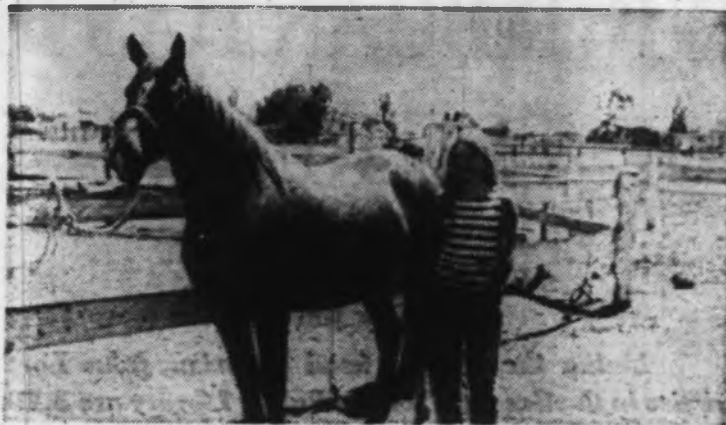
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DUSTY AND BETTY STEWART.



GINGER AND CAROL MARZA.

## Change of Scene

By BERT BINNY

Just the other day, when I was checking out after one of my infrequent safaris through a groceteria, the presiding genius at the cash register said: "How's Duke?"

The reference was clearly to Duke, the saddle horse, who, despite his becoming modesty, if not downright apprehension when in the public eye, has a larger public than he thinks. This has been by no means the only enquiry during past months as to the state of his health which, one hastens to add, remains buoyant.

He continues to pay the strictest attention to the matter of sustaining the inner horse and keeps body and soul in close union by eating for around 12 of every 24 hours. After all, the world to him is a series of lunch spots and humanity was — or should have been — created solely to provide those little luxuries that make living more than just worthwhile.

As a matter of fact he moved back in June. His horsetery on Cumberland Road closed its doors so he now resides on Ash Road adjoining Mount Douglas Park. His casual wear, sleepwear and toiletries were moved on a Friday. He himself with his business attire followed on Saturday.

Being a stranger, he was put in a large pasture by himself but, nevertheless, this provided quite a variety of interests.

To the east was a vegetable garden and Duke maintained a watch for the owner to appear. When this happened he would present himself and gaze across the fence with his well cultivated, rather forlorn expression which conveys that, if there are any superfluous cabbages, cornstalks or even potatoes, he would be only too happy to assist by getting them out of the way.

To the west was the barn whence came his daily rations of grain and this also had to be watched.

On one occasion he actually missed seeing his evening meal put out and, when he realized this abysmal error, he ran so fast he couldn't stop in time and finished with a complete somersault. At one moment he was balanced pre-

cariously on the top of his head but — trust Duke — when he recovered and resumed a more natural and becoming posture, he had already scooped in a mouthful of feed.

To the south, in an even more extensive pasture, were five mares and two geldings. The geldings strongly resented a stranger and worked unrelentingly to keep their girl friends away from him.

The girl friends, on the other hand, were quite interested in the new boy next door and would slip over to the fence for a bit of neighborly neck nibbling when opportunity offered.

When Duke was first put in with this select coterie the two male representatives saw him off and over the fence without delay. Sometime later, when he had been returned to his solitary state, yet another tete-a-tete with one of the young ladies so exasperated them that they threw caution to the winds, charged the fence and broke it down. In the process, however, one became entangled in the wreckage and Duke, noting that the odds against him were no longer two to one, promptly and successfully tied into the other.

Fortunately, this melee was soon broken up and Duke was put in a small yard by himself. But he was happy and completely triumphant, prancing up and down like a circus

performer and calling to all the girl friends, far and near, that, if they were interested in a proven good thing, they were entirely welcome to step over and join him anytime.

Next, with the fence repaired, Duke went back to his first pasture and, to promote peace and quietude, one of the girl friends was put in with him.

He would squire her around gallantly all day, a gesture which she never seemed quite able to understand or appreciate. To her it was perfectly okay to have him drop over for a visit once in a while but to be shadowed from dawn to dusk was not her idea of what was socially correct. It was actually a bore. She much preferred to play the field.

But, by now, all the hostilities are pretty well forgotten. There has been mutual acceptance of the status quo and Duke, it would seem, is a full fledged member of the club.

Speaking of clubs there was some talk about the possibility of Duke becoming an honorary member of yet another organization; viz and to wit, the Castaways Rugby Club.

He was to attend all the matches and signalize each and every Castaway score by galloping from one end of the field to the other; as is done by the Calgary Stampeders' equine mascot.

This venture never materialized. At a game played shortly after the proposition was advanced, the Castaways amassed an astronomical score. Duke would have been exhausted and nearly giddy.

Of course, if the game were played with a ball made, let us say, of alfalfa instead of indigestible leather, the problem would be solved. Duke would not only

signalize a score but would do everything in his power to score himself.

The inception of English rugby football is commemorated by a pink stone memorial set in the wall of the headmaster's garden at Rugby School in Warwickshire. The text is rather remarkable in that it recounts how, during a football game back in 1823, one William Webb Ellis "... with a fine disregard for the rules of the game as played in his day, picked up the ball in his arms and ran with it."

But an even more exceptional tribute could easily appear if Duke got in a game played with a ball of palatable hay. "... with a fine disregard for the rules of the game as played in HIS day, he picked up the ball in his mouth and ate it."

Anyway, thanks for all the kind enquiries. Duke, enters 1969 hale, hearty and happy.

And I feel sure he hopes everyone — and particularly his well-wishers — are the same.

## A Proud Record

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Michael's school for boys, Ron Johnstone works for the B.C. Telephone Company. Capt. McBratney works in the educational counselling office at the University of Victoria. Lieut. Peter Adams as a departmental manager at Woodwards, Victoria, Lieut. Bernie Buttner is field representative for Simplex International Time Equipment Co. Ltd., and Lieut. Ken Noak and Lieut. Bill Murray are students at University of Victoria. Padre Maj. Louis is a minister at Duncan, B.C.

Regular parade night for formal classes is Tuesday, 8-10:30 at the Bay Street Armory. Bulk of the training is done at weekends, with one or two-day exercises.

The corps march is Wait For the Wagon and it is the company's objective, says Maj. Piete, that no one ever SHALL have to wait.



FLIGHTY DUKE . . . put in large pasture by himself.

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# VICTORIAN HAS BIGGEST COLLECTION OF FICTION BY CANADIAN AUTHORS

STORY by RON BAIRD

Photos by Jim Ryan

*Lining the wall of head librarian John Lort's office in the Greater Victoria Public Library are 3,200 works of fiction. They are but a small fraction of the 240,000 books in the library but they have a distinction all their own.*

*All these novels were written by Canadians.*

Mr. Lort, who has been head librarian since 1954, believes his collection to be the largest of its kind in Canada, outside the National Library in Ottawa.

He began his search for Canadian fiction in 1960, and has spent nearly \$16,000 on it to date. The cost of the average volume is estimated at \$5. He is able to subsidize his purchases through an annual grant from the provincial government, through the Library Development Commission.

"This enables us to buy books which we could not afford with regular municipal funds," says Mr. Lort. "So much Canadian fiction was disappearing. Books often are no longer valued by their owners, and are thrown out, or another generation comes along and discards books valuable to their parents."

His first step in hunting down Canadian fiction began when he consulted Reginald Eyre Watters' "A Check List of Canadian Literature from 1628 to 1950."

Mr. Lort discovered there were 165 pages of Canadian-written poetry listed (roughly 3,300 titles), and some 2,660 novels. By comparing reports from book dealers (like Dora Hood's Book Room in Toronto) with the Watters' check list, he can single out almost any Canadian author. When he started to put together his collection, Mr. Lort received help from Victoria book connoisseur R. D. Hilton-Smith, of the Adelphi Book Shop.

The National Library in Ottawa puts out a monthly publication, *Canadiana* — Publications of Canadian Interest Received by the National Library, and this lists fiction by Canadians, interfiled with books that have a Canadian locale, deal with Canadian events, or are produced by Canadian publishers, says Mr. Lort.

The collection of Canadian fiction is regarded as a reference, and is not on the Victoria library's loan list.



Librarian Lort with Canadian Fiction.

Although most of the books are now out of print, Mr. Lort keeps up with current printings.

He is hard-pressed to place individual values on the older works. The stature of the author, condition of the book, its age, and the fact the odd one is autographed by the author are all factors in establishing a book's worth.

The oldest book on the shelves is a small novel on the American Revolution, entitled *Saratoga*. It was

written by Mrs. Eliza Lanesford (Ford) Cushing, and published in Boston by Cummings, Hilliard and Company, in 1824.

"As far as I know," Mr. Lort says, "there are only two Canadian-written books older than this, and there is one which was published in the same year."

The first of these three was "Nerva: or a collection of papers published in the *Montreal Herald*." This appeared anonymously in 1814, but the author was Samuel Gale, says Mr. Lort. The next book came out in 1822 and was "Spartacus, a Roman Story," by Mrs. Susanna (Strickland) Moodie.

"Mrs. Moodie wrote 16 books altogether, of which we have four," Mr. Lort points out. "The book which was printed in the same year, 1824, as *Saratoga*, was St. Ursula's Convent: or The Nun of Canada, by Mrs. Julia Catherine (Beckwith) Hart."

As far as *Saratoga* is concerned, Mr. Lort hasn't managed to progress much further than the first page or two.

"The modern reader would find it rather hard-going," he reports.

Among the more prominent Canadian writers, represented are Mazo de la Roche, Thomas Costain, Bruce Hutchison and Igor Gouzenko, although Mr. Lort considers Gouzenko on the border-line as a Canadian writer, because of his Russian birth.

The majority of the books were published either in the United States or Great Britain. Many of them are of regional interest only. Others are primarily for children, such as author T. Lund's *Weston of the Royal North-West Mounted Police*, which was published in 1928.

A great proportion may never have survived more than one printing.

Mr. Lort has no Canadian works in French, although there are several translations into English, such as Gabrielle Roy's *The Tin Flute*.

He will soon face a pressing problem — lack of space. His office is already filled to capacity.

Is he still on the lookout for more Canadian fiction?

"Why, certainly," says librarian Lort. "I would welcome it."

## TRAVEL IN SOUTH AMERICA

**The 1969 issue of the *South American Travel Guide* is now published, and will be available shortly in most libraries and larger book shops.**

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### NEW BOOKS and AUTHORS



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to maintain the old shipwrecked mariners' trail.

The expense of clearing growth, replacement of aerial cables and bridges and the problems relating to labor, materials and delivery of food supplies and equipment outweighed the need for an emergency trail in the 1950s. Marine aids to navigation and helicopter rescue operations were deemed adequate by the then Minister of Transport Leon Bakker.

Knowing the problems of maintenance from first-hand experience I can sympathize with the provincial and federal authorities. The provincial government is understandably reluctant to assume responsibilities which were an expensive annoyance to the marine agency. And certainly there is no reason why they should concern themselves with the burden while regional rivalries for conservation areas preclude united efforts for anything. Meanwhile the disorganized majority are only casually interested in an area which requires hiking since nearly all of them demand the comforts of motels and campers' when they go on a trip.

In dismissing the proposal as impractical both government and taxpayers are too hasty. The shipwrecked mariners' trail was intended for year-round use. All of the high-cost maintenance can be avoided since hikers prefer to beachcomb whenever there is an opportunity. Comparatively short sections of the original footpath are adequate under the circumstances. Their maintenance could easily be the responsibility of private organizations, existing bridges are not essential in all but one or two cases. These and the transport for the two river crossings could be provided for by donations by outdoor clubs and nature groups.

## A PLEA FOR WILDERNESS

In the circumstances it is the community, not the government which is obstructing progress. Too often Canadians are narrowly limited in their tastes for recreation. What is not accessible to him, what does not appeal to him personally or please him as a form of recreation, he is not interested in and he ignores all the efforts of people with a different eye for beauty and concepts of enjoyment foreign to him. This attitude he must change if the province will save its great natural endowments for the future.

And British Columbia has a marvelous and world-renowned role to play in the recreation and leisure field. Any imaginative assessment of the future with its continuous cities, urban complexities and teeming populations will drive home the importance of our province as a natural playground. Even its very ruggedness and great solitudes will be esteemed by natives and foreigners in generations to come.

Contemplation is not enough: We have to make the decisions to reserve and protect our resources now. By the year 2000 our land will be scarred irrevocably; much of it will be in the possession of non-Canadians if steps are not taken promptly to preserve it and keep it from falling into the hands of speculators, industry and land developers. The aloof indifference of many Canadians is an outrage to those of us who can see the shape of things to come.

Canadians commonly take the attitude that a park area that is inaccessible to their cars and campers is a waste. These objec-

tions are more what's-for-now, me-personally thinking.

Roads, as we are all aware, bring in mobs of people and the natural capacity of a wilderness area to absorb their careless actions is limited. Along beaches they build squatters' shacks. Wilderness trails are churned into muddy ruts by too much traffic. Broken beverage bottles, paper, plastic containers and human waste make the beach beyond the high tide level a public dump. In an excess of misdirected enthusiasm wild flowers are wrenched from their natural habitat and delicate mosses and ferns are carried away for table arrangements.

Trees are surreptitiously cut up for firewood by chain saws that can dispose of a centuries-old forest dweller in an hour.

The local salmon or trout stream is robbed of its innocent life in a month.

Someone builds a beachfire too close to the logs and much of the driftwood and part of the green verge along the beach is consumed.

Eagles, osprey, hawks and owls are slaughtered by trigger-happy youths on the rampage and wild inhabitants flee the region because there is no refuge from disturbances there. The raising of their young is impossible under the conditions.

Mosses, lichens, mushrooms and miniature plants are trampled into extinction by careless heavy-footed traffic. A forest fire perpetrated by a camper or smoker can complete the devastation.

Roads, advantageous in reaching a summer home area or to get to a

park boundary, are not indispensable or even necessary as a prerequisite for a park reserve. Actually roads contribute to the commercialization of all natural settings and parks too well served by them become so overcrowded in season that the charm of a wilderness environment is lost.

Most young and middle-aged people are capable of more walking and hiking than they imagine. So why not plan a holiday this spring or summer in intimate relationship with nature? Forget about the trout stream, beach and water-skiing and take some time out to observe natural objects: the texture of a cedar's bark; the living green of leaves splashed by sunlight in the dim forest; the moist, cool softness of deep moss; the delicacy of wild flowers and spicy aroma of medicinal plants; the song of thrushes and the chorus of frogs; the clean purity of beaches on the outer coast; the mosaic of life in a tidal pool; the touching tameness of animals in the far-flung wilderness.

Then, when you return home, think about these tender, easily destroyed creatures and plants. Lend your efforts to the organizations that are consecrated to their protection. Read some of the books on wildlife and conservation to deepen your understanding and excite your compassion. Subscribe to the Canadian magazines devoted to conservation. Fight, if necessary, for the precious endowment defenseless nature has created. Protect the wild creatures and their environment and in the process heed the promptings of your innermost being.

## Young Jewish Woman Rocked Victoria

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"I was nine years old when my mother placed my younger sister and me with the Sisters of St. Ann in Victoria, and entrusted us to Mother Mary Providence's care. My parents, being strict Jews, had given us many earnest exhortations not to kneel or comply in the least degree with any Christian form. We promised obedience to their injunctions.

"It was not without reason that they insisted so much on this precautionary lesson. They had already had an experience with my tendency towards Christian symbols. Previous to this, when a mere tot, I had often accompanied one of my sisters to the convent school of the Sisters of Mercy in San Francisco.

"My pleasure was cut short, by being no longer permitted to go to that school. This was because I had formed the unconscious habit of repeatedly blessing myself.

While at St. Ann's here, Frances Mayer grew homesick. "I loved the sisters dearly," she wrote in 1918, "but I had greater love for my mother, whom I idolized, and my separation from her became intolerable—I cried incessantly, and became ill, so the sisters were obliged to summon my mother from San Francisco. Regretting at parting from the sisters, but happy in my mother's company, I left for home.

"When I attained my nineteenth year I resolved to no longer delay in becoming a Catholic.

"My becoming a Catholic, I knew, would arouse great excitement, for those times were charged

with religious intolerance. I realized, too, the grief this act of mine would bring to my home. My home—I knew it might never be mine again."

Miss Mayer then disclosed that her parents had tried to take her to court and charge her with stealing clothes and jewelry, so she gave them back to her mother and father.

She wrote in the 1918 St. Ann's Journal: "There lingered a hope in the heart of my parents that if I felt deprived of my clothing, I would,

through necessity, go back to them. In time my mother returned my jewels. I had some fine diamonds.

"Strange as it may seem, all the members of my family always loved the sisters. My mother had no dearer friend than Mother Mary Providence.

"During my dear mother's last illness, every day without fail, a pitcher of Irish moss was sent from the convent to her sickroom. The day before her death, my mother,

feeling suddenly better, was driven to the convent, and not being able to go to the parlor, Mother Providence came out and sat with her in the carriage. The two friends, one a staunch Jewess, the other a staunch Irish nun, had their last heart-to-heart talk.

"In 1882 I was seeing a band of six sisters of St. Ann off from San Francisco bound for Victoria. When I came up the deck I saw a man reclining comfortably in a chair. It was actually my father. I had not seen him since my departure from home 12 years before. I was seized with a great longing to throw my arms around him, and kiss him fondly.

"I went softly up and satisfied the heart hunger of a daughter's love.

"My father turned away his head. When I came back to the sisters tears were in their eyes. They could not speak.

"In spirit I lived in Victoria with my ever dearly loved teachers, the Sisters of St. Ann in Victoria. My one earthly desire was to be with them, and, as in my childhood and girlhood, bask in the happiness of Mother Providence's presence."

"Many years passed before I reached that haven; now I am in Victoria, with the sisters, contentedly preparing for the voyage to the haven of eternal rest."

Miss Mayer lived at St. Joseph's Hospital, and died there, well into her eighties, in November of 1934.

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### NATURE'S SCRAPBOOK

#### WEATHER EFFECTS TREES

In areas which have a low annual rainfall the forests develop as open stands. We can compare, for example, the open, parklike forests of yellow pine, which are characteristic of the dry belt of the interior of British Columbia, with the dense, almost jungle-like spruce-hemlock forests of the northern coastal region where the annual precipitation often exceeds 200 inches.

The effect of atmospheric temperatures on tree growth can readily be observed in regions of minimum precipitation. In such regions the forests are generally much denser on the northern slopes of the mountains than on the southern slopes. On both slopes rainfall may be the same but on the southern slopes the air temperature will be higher than on the northern slopes, and, as a result, the rate of evaporation of water from the soil will be greater. Consequently, there remains in the soil insufficient water to support a dense stand. We can also see the same effect of temperature on plant growth in the dry interior of the province by observing the changes in the vegetation as we proceed from the valleys up the slopes of mountains to the plateaus on top.



# BILL GETS LETTERS

By BUD PAULS

"My mother told me to write to you people for your magazine because she told me it would do me good. I don't know what I'm going to think but I suppose you'd better send me a copy anyway."

Lots of letters arrive on the desk of W. T. (Bill) Ward, editor of Wildlife Review, the popular quarterly magazine published by the provincial department of recreation and conservation.

"New readers are always welcome," says Bill, "even if they sound reluctant."

Wildlife Review, now in its 15th year of publication, has a circulation of almost 40,000. Letters come from around the world, most of them highly complementary to the little magazine described in 1966 at a convention of conservationists as "one of the last personalized journals on



BILL WARD  
... promotes conservation.

this continent" — in reference to Bill Ward's deep involvement with the conservation message he is trying to get across to the public.

But it is the letters bearing the frank comments of children and the humorous ambiguity of people not familiar with the English language that provides much of the spice at the editor's desk.

"There's a lot of good articles in your magazine," wrote one youngster. "I'd write more, but now dinner's ready."

Said another: "I am interested in wildlife and will you please send along a few samples."

Bill gets a special kick from a letter sent by a little girl: "We are studying Canada and teacher said to ask for material . . . I want mine in pink. Pink hat, pink dress, size 9½, pink shoes, pink coat and a pair of pink pants. And thank you very much."

A Manitoba child sent a letter recently with eight cents worth of stamps on the envelope, instead of the required six. She concluded her letter by saying, "Please send me back two cents."

A boy wasn't content with just written information. He wrote: "We are doing some studies on fish and animals. Please send some information. And also some of their insides."

Bill Ward also collects unusual letters that have arrived in the offices of the fish and wildlife branch. An Alberta resident wrote for a new copy

# ISLANDER Crossword Puzzle

Last Week's Crossword Puzzle Answers Appear on Page 11

By Myra Carr

## ACROSS

- 1 Small.
- 7 Letter or message.
- 14 Sarcastic writing.
- 20 Philippine headhunter.
- 21 Brings into harmony.
- 22 Way.
- 23 Noted theatrical name.
- 24 Rippers.
- 25 Vegetable.
- 26 Fold over.
- 27 Tiny insect.
- 29 Levy payment.
- 30 Always.
- 32 Suffix: Like.
- 33 Girl's name.
- 35 Winter vehicle.
- 37 Views.
- 39 American: Abbr.
- 40 Abraham's wife.
- 42 Bedouin.
- 44 Stringed instruments.
- 45 Certain fish.
- 46 Bumps.
- 48 Torment.
- 50 Tissue.
- 52 Miss Dahl, actress.
- 55 Wind storm.
- 57 Dressers.

- 61 Old-time car.
- 62 Feminine name.
- 64 Gossip.
- 65 Ship's prison.
- 67 Decay.
- 68 Fondlers.
- 71 Indo-European language.
- 73 An organism.
- 74 FBI man.
- 75 Subdued.
- 77 Closed car.
- 78 Secluded glen.
- 79 Girl's name.
- 80 Medical care.
- 82 Compass direction.
- 83 Other than.
- 84 Equal: Comb. form.
- 86 Ash.
- 87 Non-commissioned officer: Abbr.
- 88 Smother.
- 90 Blue flowers.
- 93 Destroy machinery: British slang.
- 95 Rules of society.
- 97 Gaiters.
- 98 Burrowing animal.
- 99 Drawing room.
- 102 Walking stick.
- 104 Bones.
- 105 Flower part.
- 110 Hold up.
- 111 Hollywood name.

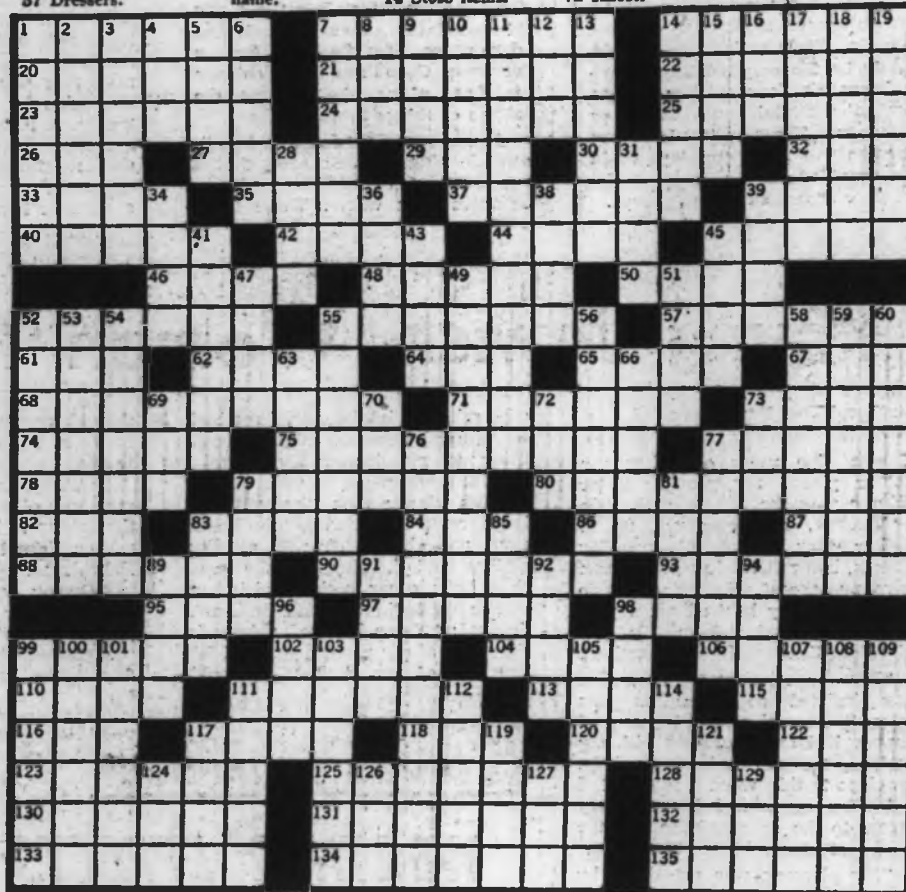
- 113 English title.
- 115 West Indies island.
- 116 Long gona.
- 117 River in Colombia.
- 118 Pacific island.
- 120 College officer.
- 122 Beam.
- 123 World power.
- 125 District around Thebes.
- 128 Distant.
- 130 Dripper.
- 131 Abelard's love.
- 132 Avolder.
- 133 Trip with message.
- 134 Distributor of alms.
- 135 Fauna.

## DOWN

- 1 Bing's middle name.
- 2 Lizard.
- 3 Man's evening hat.
- 4 Of three.
- 5 Extended in length.
- 6 Short jackets.
- 7 Constituent substance.
- 8 Nora forming suffix.
- 9 Copy: Slang.
- 10 Koran chapters.
- 11 Unforgivable.
- 12 Version: Abbr.
- 13 Ancient Jewish sect.
- 14 Store items.

- 15 Attest.
- 16 Digit.
- 17 Innermost layer of artery.
- 18 Destroyed.
- 19 Certain fishermen.
- 28 Too bad!
- 31 Garment.
- 34 Novelist Grey.
- 36 Malayan chief.
- 38 Supplemented.
- 39 Jezebel's husband.
- 41 Sincere.
- 43 Arctic night.
- 45 Plod.
- 47 Trees of India.
- 49 Daughter of Tsar Nicholas.
- 51 Man's name.
- 52 Covered streets.
- 53 Chemical reactor.
- 54 Seductive siren.
- 55 Native of N. Carolina.
- 56 Turns things toward.
- 58 Causing disintegration.
- 59 Sentimental emotion.
- 60 Lincoln's Sec'y of War.
- 63 Religious groups.
- 66 One who is converted.
- 69 Enlarged: Abbr.
- 70 Salt.
- 72 Insect.

- 73 Semicolon: Abbr.
- 76 Kind of trees: 2 words.
- 77 Robs.
- 79 Killed.
- 81 Air: Comb. form.
- 83 Enthusiasm.
- 85 Attached to.
- 89 Move clumsily.
- 91 Annapolis initials.
- 92 Being.
- 94 Golf mounds.
- 96 Robert Burns, for instance.
- 98 Female horse.
- 99 Scarce.
- 100 Verbal debater.
- 101 More relaxed.
- 103 Girl's name.
- 105 More sorrowful.
- 107 Weak imitation.
- 108 Decreaser.
- 109 Tiers.
- 111 Face hair.
- 112 Sacred prohibition.
- 114 — and Penates.
- 117 Countenance.
- 119 Hurt.
- 121 Russian river.
- 124 Watering place.
- 126 Goddess of the Underworld.
- 127 Suffix: To become.
- 129 Small rug.



of British Columbia's fishing regulations, and explained: "I have a previous one you published but something new might have come up. Mine is 15 years old."

In response to a hunter survey in 1961 the branch received a letter explaining, "I was doing time all during hunting season."

He has a letter on file addressed to "Chief Fish Head."

Even some internal communications can come out funny. This wire came from a fish hatchery: "Do you want the females stripped or unstripped?"

Very colorful language is sometimes used by people writing from Nigeria and Ghana, such as this: "With much pleasure I learned of your kindness and Socialism and I beg O Almighty of some of your magazines and catalogues. Yours affectionately and absolutely . . ."

Wrote another: "Please I beg you to send me some of your books. I will be very much grateful . . . If you send it to me I will give my sister to you free . . ."

Wildlife Review draws much philosophical comment as well. One reader advised the editor that "Any old dead fish can float down the stream with public opinion, but it takes a lively fish to swim against the current."

Like any editor, Bill hates to lose readers. He did accept in good grace, though, a cancellation in which the writer explained that she was now married to another subscriber and that only one magazine was now required. Using capital letters, it was pointed out to the editor that "HE is now living in MY house."

Bill wasn't at all happy, however, about this one: "Sir: Send your Wildlife Review wherever you like, but don't send it here."





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## Bonn Rejects Russian Warning



Restaurant sign toppled by instant hurricane

### East Germans Squeeze Berlin

From UPI, AP

BONN — West German Chancellor Kurt-Georg Kiesinger has rejected a Soviet warning of "undesirable consequences" for West Berlin if presidential elections are held there as scheduled, State Secretary Guenter Diehl said Saturday.

#### Nixon Visit

Security,  
Dignity  
Pledged

BERLIN (AP) — Mayor Klaus Schütz declared Saturday the dignity and security of President Nixon is guaranteed for his Feb. 27 visit to West Berlin.

The mayor gave this assurance in an interview with the newspaper Morgenpost on a day marked by further street demonstrations by the city's rambunctious New Left.

The leftist student leadership at the Technical University of Berlin called on students and young workers Friday to demonstrate against the U.S. chief executive when he shows up here on his European tour.

A U.S. presidential jet, a Boeing 707, practised landings at the mid-city Tempelhof airfield despite snowy weather. Witnesses said it touched down and rolled in three times.

Tempelhof is run by high apartments and the runway of about 5,000 feet is shorter than those at the outlying Tegel airfield. But if Nixon could land safely at Tempelhof it would save time on his tight schedule.

Diehl said Kiesinger made a "very brief reply rejecting both the warning and Soviet arguments when Russian Ambassador Semyon Tsarapkin delivered the note personally to the chancellor Thursday.

The Soviet protest charged that electing the president of West Germany in West Berlin violated the four-power agreements on the divided city and was a subterfuge to introduce to the city members of the National Democratic Party, which the Soviets describe as "neo-Nazi."

"ALL CONSEQUENCES" "The Soviet government expects that its warning will be correctly understood in Bonn," Tass said. "The West German authorities must also be ready to assume responsibility for all the consequences stemming from this."

The Soviet warning followed up East German protests and restrictive measures against a scheduled meeting of the West German electoral college in West Berlin March 5 to choose a successor to President Heinrich Lübke. Neither the East Germans nor the Soviets consider West Berlin, located 110 miles within East Germany, as a part of West Germany.

THREE POWERS The Soviets earlier had delivered notes to the three powers occupying West Berlin, the United States, Britain and France, demanding that the elections in the city be cancelled. The western allies rejected the Soviet demand Friday in Moscow.

East German border guards tightened their squeeze on West German motor traffic Saturday. No serious incidents were reported.

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Kiesinger

Peru

### Envoy Pulled Home

LIMA, Peru (AP)—Peru ordered its Washington ambassador home for consultation and Lima police reinforced guards at American facilities Saturday amid rising anti-American feeling accepted by attacks Friday on U.S. tuna boats.

A report from the American Tuna Boat Association indicated the U.S. craft were back again Saturday in Pacific fishing grounds off Peru near where at least two of them were fired on Friday by a Peruvian naval gunboat. There were no injuries.

FINE PAID

One of the tuna boats was taken to a Peruvian port Friday and released after paying a fine, unofficially reported at \$2,000. Besides summoning Ambassador Fernando Berckemeyer, Peru's military government also called home Luis Alvarado, its ambassador to the Organization of American States.

The Peruvian envoy maintained the U.S. boats were fishing illegally in territorial waters that Peru claims 200 miles offshore. The United States recognizes only 12-mile limits.

FINANCIAL WORRY The prospect of U.S. economic sanctions, stemming from Peru's seizure of American-owned International Petroleum Co. properties four months before the fishing boat incident, was believed to be one reason for Alvarado's ordered return.

Peru, claiming International Petroleum owes it \$690,000,000, has said it might take the oil case to the OAS if the United States cuts off aid and sugar purchases because of the \$200,000,000 expropriation.

500 Years

### Family Bones Gone

VIENNA (UPI) — Authorities at St. Stephens Cathedral here would like to hear from anyone knowing the whereabouts of the Holy Roman Emperor Friedrich III who died five centuries ago. His tomb recently was x-rayed and no trace of his bones was found.

Friedrich died in 1493, some 20 years before his ornate tomb was completed. Experts now suspect that officials may have overlooked putting Friedrich's body in the tomb.

The whereabouts of the remains of Friedrich's son, Emperor Maximilian I, also remains a mystery. Officials have known for years that his tomb has been empty. He died in 1551 near Vienna but the royal treasury couldn't afford to transport his body several hundred miles to his tomb.

### Metal Doors Buckled

## Freak Wall of Water Hits Plush Motels

SARASOTA, Fla. (UPI) — A 4 1/2-foot high wall of water churned up by a violent squall in the Gulf of Mexico smashed ashore without warning at Lido Beach Saturday flooding the lower floors of tourist-packed motels.

No deaths or injuries were reported, but an unidentified woman who was driving along a beach road apparently suffered a heart attack when the towering wave rolled ashore. She was hospitalized.

The wall of water, followed a minute later by a smaller freak wave, sent seas rushing 500 to 600 feet inland, smashing cars, and picked up in a swimming pool inside an interior patio at a motel.

The force of the onrushing water was so great it buckled metal doors on the ground

floor of motels and left water six inches deep in many of the plush suites.

Officials said the freak waves apparently formed when the squall kicked up heavy seas out over the gulf and two large waves slammed together.

The violent storm then moved across Central Florida, battering some spots in the

Tampa Bay area with 75 mph hurricane force winds and causing damage in Winter Haven, Lake Wales, Mims, and Alturas, as well as Tampa-St. Petersburg.

The storm swept through Cape Kennedy shortly after noon but the space agency reported no damage and there was no interruption of the Apollo 9 countdown rehearsal now underway.

It was a different story, however, at Lido Beach, a lush resort strip linked to Sarasota by causeway.

John Barnes, manager of a motel, was on the beach along with office manager Howard Osborne, when the wave hit.

Neither man was hurt, but the fury of the water wrenched a watch off Osborne's wrist and Barnes escaped injury from smashing beach furniture only by climbing a pole.

Barnes said, "I was about 100 feet back from the normal water line and I turned around and I saw the wave coming and water was up to my chest almost immediately. "I saw beach furniture on top of the following wave.

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### French Campuses

## Mercenaries Find Work

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Colonist-London Sunday Times Service

PARIS — Former mercenaries in the Congo have been recruited to keep the pace on some French campuses.

According to student leaders, Col. Bob Denard, of Congo fame, has organized the recruiting. Although this has not been confirmed, Capt. Georges Moreau, who served under Denard in the Congo, is openly recruiting "university assistants" for the Nanterre and Vincennes campuses. Both have been at the centre of France's student disorders.

Moreau, operating from a temporary office in the Buc Hotel in Paris' Latin Quarter, is offering \$42 for a 40-hour week. He said last week that he needs 200 men and had recruited about half of them.

Moreau refused to disclose who is financing his efforts. The ministry of the interior, whom students accuse of being behind the recruiting, say they know nothing about him.

Student leaders at Nanterre claim they have been man-handled and insulted by Moreau's strong-arm men. Moreau, however, who does not have a high opinion of the students' fighting abilities, says that with minor exceptions the presence of his men in itself has been enough to keep the peace.

### Roo Bar Vital on Outback

## Turkish Motoring No Delight

By DWIGHT CHAPIN

Colonist-Los Angeles Times Service

Phileas T. Fogg went around the world in 80 days. In 1907, a bunch of guys in old cars drove from Peking to Paris in 60 days.

Now comes a quartet of young British soldiers who manoeuvred their Land Rover 10,000 miles — from London to Sydney — in only 10 days of actual driving.

It wasn't quite like a Sunday excursion into the countryside.

Among other things, the adventures faced: Bad roads. Miserable weather. Blinding dust. Flying rocks. Teeming crowds. Idiotic traffic conditions. Insane drivers. And obstinate kangaroos.

They traversed France, Italy, Yugoslavia, Iran, Afghanistan, Pakistan, India and Australia. But another

country provided most of the memories.

"Turkey!" boomed their leader, Capt. Gavin Thompson of the 17th-21st Lancers.

"Absolutely the worst place. Petrifying!"

"You'd be driving up a hill and down the other side would come three lorries or cars abreast, in one lane, headed right at you. You literally had to run for your life, scatter."

"There would be a fatal accident happening every mile or so. The roads themselves would be littered and there would be burning cars off along the sides. Life seemed to mean nothing to these people. Absolutely frightening!"

The four Britons and their vehicles — a Land Rover with four-wheel drive — were among the 100 entries in the first London-to-Sydney marathon. It was sponsored jointly

by a British and an Australian newspaper last November and December, as "an idea to help beat Britain's gloom over the devaluation of its currency."

A prize of \$22,000 was offered the winner.

The drivers came from all over the world. Thirteen of them were women. Their vehicles ranged from a 1930

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## B.C. Bowling

## Duncan Pair Reach Finals

Story and Pictures  
By DONNA CLEMENTS

DUNCAN—Two Duncan bowlers will represent Vancouver Island in the provincial Youth Bowling Council finals on March 1 and March 2.

Heather Bronson, 16, topped the senior girls' singles at Duncan Saturday in the zone finals—for seniors between 15 to 21—with a total of 581 from three games.

Don Kirkpatrick, 16, led the senior boys' singles with a total of 660 from three games. He won by only one point.

Victoria's Town and Country girls and boys bowling teams were the victors in the team bowling. The girls had high pin-score of 2,828 and the boys had 2,905 from three games.

Teams taking part in the zone finals were Duncan, Gibson, Victoria, Town and Country, Victoria, and Sooke. Three games were bowled by each participant, there were five on each team and no handicaps.

The zone finals formed the second step to the championships. The tournament started with qualifying rounds in each home alley. The winners from the provincial finals will represent B.C. in the National Youth Bowling Championships at Hamilton, Ont., in April.



Bronson



Kirkpatrick



"THIS IS best way to do it." Two bowlers in bowling contest at Duncan Saturday discuss various methods of

delivery while they wait for their turn at lane. See also Bowling Round-up, Page 14.

## Port Alberni

## Public Meeting to Discuss Land Assessment Hikes

PORT ALBERNI — Alberni Valley Citizens' Association will hold a public meeting this week to discuss recent land assessment increases in Port Alberni.

A board of revision last week

confirmed assessments after 171 ratepayers appealed increases which they claimed were out of proportion to assessments in other parts of the city.

Association president Mark

## Plan Approved

MESACHIE LAKE — Mesachie Lake residents approved Saturday a plan to have their area administered by Cowichan Valley regional district.

The vote was held following the closure of Hillcrest Lumber Co. which had operated the town in the past.

About 24 residents out of an eligible 34 voted. Breakdown of the vote was, approval figures in brackets: fire protection (96 per cent); recreation (87 per cent); street lighting (83 per cent); water supply (100 per cent); sewage (83 per cent).

The Alberni and district Labor Council had expressed "amazement" at the present method of assessing land. After Ald. George McKnight recently explained the recent Assessment Equalization Act, which he said had caused this year's increases, the council decided to send a protest to the provincial government.

## Legion Commended

## Low-Cost Housing Units Opened for Senior Citizens

By ARNOLD OLSON

NANAIMO—A \$130,000 12-unit senior citizen's low-cost housing development at Pridoux Street, Nanaimo, was opened Saturday by L. J. Wallace, deputy provincial secretary.

The organization behind the project, Mount Benson Royal Canadian Legion, was commended for its efforts by four speakers during the ceremony.

Mr. Wallace said the province had shared in similar construction of 1,035 buildings during the last fiscal year—an increase of 50 per cent over the preceding year. There were still 28 in various stages of completion.

## HARD WORK

"This is the culmination of three years of hard work. I understand that Branch 256 is looking for another such project," he said.

Mr. Wallace said that 10 per cent of the cost of the building was borne by the Legion, 30 per cent by the province and the balance was paid for through an NHA mortgage. He said that only half of the \$50,000 provincial total had been applied for and the government was waiting for a Legion application.

## DOUGLAS THERE

Newly-elected MP T. C. Douglas attended the ceremony as a spectator and was asked to speak.

"The real greatness of a nation lies in what it does for its aged and sick," he said. He did not think it was trade balances or gross national products.

He said that in building the senior citizen's housing units, the legion, across the country, was contributing to Canada's greatness.

## IDEA CREDIT

Mayor Frank Ney also commended the legion.

"Once again you have come through with a project for the betterment of the community," he said.

Sid Andrews, building committee chairman, and the man who was credited by legion members with the idea of building the complex, replied to the speeches.

## OLDER HOME

"It is wonderful that we live in a country like we do, where a group can get together with an idea like this and find support for it, both through the provincial government and the city officials," he said.

The complex replaces an older home near Comox Park. The 12 units include four units for married people, at \$81 a month, and eight single units at \$69 a month.

The rent includes all services except cable television service. Business firms in the city donated equipment for the recreation room.

Fritz Schulze was architect and the builders were Debo Construction.

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T. C. Douglas carries out first public duty in Nanaimo

## Douglas:

## Peru Has Right to Protect Territorial Water Claim

NANAIMO —The Peruvian government had a right, within its laws, to protect a territorial waters claim, said NDP leader T. C. Douglas on Saturday.

He was referring to attacks which were made Friday on U.S. tuna boats. The Peruvians claim the boats were fishing illegally in territorial waters which Peru claims 200 miles off shore. The U.S. only recognizes a 12-mile limit.

## "BUT LARGE"

Mr. Douglas, who won last week's Nanaimo-Cowichan-The Islands byelection, said the territory which Peru claimed was probably a bit large.

He thought a Canadian plan, already law but not enforced, to include a 12-mile limit from headland to headland, was basically the same.

## "FULLY JUSTIFIED"

He said that if American fishing vessels were to breach the limit and were found within the 12 miles, they should be brought into a Canadian port and be charged with violation.

"It seems to be that Canada, as a sovereign nation, is entitled to set its fishing limits at 12

miles from headland to headland," he said.

"The fact that Iceland set those limits and enforced them, even against British vessels and that Peru has set the continental shelf and are now enforcing it against American shipping, indicates to me that Canada would be fully justified in insisting we put into practice what Parliament has already approved — namely a 12-mile fishing limit," Mr. Douglas said.

On the Peruvian incident, in which two vessels were fired upon, and one captured, Mr. Douglas said: "I'm not saying

they're right. They're certainly

right in defending their territorial limits. Whether the continental shelf is a bit far out

## Boy Remanded Until Monday

NANAIMO—A 13-year-old boy was remanded in Saturday's magistrate's court until Monday afternoon on a charge of indecently assaulting a woman.

The charge followed an incident on a Nanaimo street last Monday.

to be setting fishing limits is

another question. "That's a question the American government or any other government can take to The Hague, to the Court of International Justice and ask for a ruling on it. But nobody can argue about the 12-mile limit being unreasonable."

Peru had established its limit and Peru intended to stand by it, until the international court declares otherwise, he said.

Peru had a right to say "anybody who comes within that limit for fishing purposes is violating our territorial waters."

## Boats, Equipment

## Ucluelet Display Popular

UCLUELET — Several hundred people attended a recent fishermen's ball in the UAC Hall, Ucluelet.

A amorgasbord was arranged by Al Johnson of the Fiddle Inn Cafe, Long Beach and Ucluelet Cafe. Oriental shellfish were provided by local Japanese residents.

MC was Roy Payne and Mr. and Mrs.

Earl Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. George Palsch were among those who helped with arrangements.

Door-prize winners were Raymond Drew, Ucluelet, and Bruce Grant of Tofino.

A two-day boat and equipment display was attended by more than three hundred people.

Firms taking part have asked for space at the next display.

## Duncan Student Aims for Education

## Young Rocket Fan Starts New Magazine

Story and Picture  
By KLAUS MUENTER

DUNCAN — When he was 10, Garry Oyen of Cowichan Station became interested in model rockets. Now, at 16, he has published his first magazine.

Last week the last of 10,000 copies of the monthly Aerospace Journal was printed at Rapier Press Ltd. Garry has been supported all the way, from a difficult beginning in September by Kenneth Barnett of Rapier Press. He is associate editor of the magazine, published by Oyen Industries Ltd.

Garry, a Grade 11 student at Cowichan high school, may be the youngest magazine publisher in Canada.

"My intention is to get more people interested in rocketry," said Garry. "I approached Mr. Barnett and he became very interested himself and we started to work together toward the first issue."

"We now have contacts in Canada, the U.S. and England.

We hope to make contacts with agencies in Japan, West Germany, Australia, France, Brazil and Russia," he continued.

"Our magazine will eventually cover all aspects of aerospace which includes interplanetary flight, space medicine, flying saucers and supersonic jets. The magazine contains technical and non-technical information and it has a great educational value."

Mr. Barnett said the composition of the magazine was mainly Garry's idea.

"The first issue will go to distribution in Canada and perhaps in New York state and universities will be one of the main markets."

"It is slanted toward the educational aspect. When Garry conceived the idea to publish a magazine, he wrote to different agencies and they were very willing to supply material."

The first issue contains articles by H. C. Luttman of the Canadian Aeronautics and Space Institute. Garry's account of his award-winning model of the phantom jet passenger liner, a press conference with Col. John Glenn and projects of NASA and Bristol Aerospace.

Writing and editing a magazine is not Garry's first connection with the intriguing world of rockets. About 2½ years ago, he fired his first model rockets on a Cowichan Station farm.

Then a number of young people became interested and a Vancouver Island rocketry group was formed and a permanent launching ramp was built at Duncan airstrip.

Garry is also president of the Youth Aeronautics and Aerospace of Canada.

For Mr. Barnett, and Rapier Press, the Aerospace Journal is a second magazine. The first, Canadian UFO Report, which will appear every two months, came out last month. A third, on British Columbia is already on the drawing board.



Mr. Barnett, Garry, printer Ron Phillips



# Canadiens Display Top Form To Continue Drive for Lead

Montreal Canadiens, in top form against the injury-weakened Boston Bruins, scored a 3-1 win Saturday night to continue their drive for the National Hockey League's East Division lead.

Victory, third in a row and extending an unbeaten streak through a sixth game, moved Canadiens within two points of the Bruins.

Playing without Bobby Orr, Derek Sanderson, John

McKenzie, Ron Murphy, Tom Williams and Gary Doak, the Bruins couldn't cope with the Canadiens and were in the fight for the points until the third period mainly because of the stout goaling of Gerry Cheevers.

**CHEEVERS SPECTACULAR**  
Cheevers made fine stops on Yvan Cournoyer, Dick Duff and Ken Beliveau in the early minutes. Later in the period he moved smartly to get in front of a deflection by Jacques Lemaire, then made a spectacular gloved stop on Lemaire in the second period as well as

balking Cournoyer and team-mate Glen Sather, who forced a great save with an attempted clearance.

With Cheevers keeping the score down, the Bruins several times came close to going ahead. They missed the first goal when a power-play try by Ken Hodge hit a post and Gump Worsley had to come up with a couple of exceptional stops to prevent a tying goal until the last minute of the second period.

Henri Richard opened the scoring late in the first period when Eddie Shack let Bobby

Rousseau get by him on the right boards in the Boston zone. Rousseau went in deep and passed back to Richard who got away a quick shot past Fred Stanfield to beat Cheevers cleanly.

Careless play by Jacques Laperriere inside his own zone brought the Bruins the equalizer 12 seconds before the end of the third period. A hard shot from the left point by Don Awrey was tipped past Worsley by rookie Don Marcotte.

Canadiens, cheered on by 18,200 fans, just two short of a Montreal record, dominated the third period.

Ferguson, who did a fine job in marking Hodge, got what was to be the winning goal in the fifth minute. Ralph Backstrom, who spent most of the evening shadowing Phil Esposito, made the play and Ferguson got his shot under Cheevers from the right side.

Beliveau completed the smartest play of the game to end the scoring less than three minutes later.

Dick Duff started it with a crisp blue line-to-blue line pass which put Cournoyer in. Cheevers came out to block the shooting shot but the puck came out to Cheevers' left side and the alert Beliveau, following up on the play, grabbed it and

backhanded into the wide-open goal.

Elsewhere in a full schedule: Toronto Maple Leafs, who have scored 18 times in winning three straight games, moved within two points of third place in the East Division by defeating New York Rangers, 6-2, in Toronto. Toronto-goaliekeeper Bruce Gamble settled down after the first period to play a brilliant game as the Leafs built a 3-2 lead into a safe margin.

Jacques Plante played another superb game, blocking 45 of 46 shots while his team was held to 17 shots as St. Louis Blues defeated Los Angeles Kings, 4-1, before 15,187 misy St. Louis fans.

Minnesota's aroused North Stars continued their steady climb towards a West Division playoff spot by running over Detroit Red Wings, 6-2, before 18,606 fans in Minneapolis.

Chicago Black Hawks, who had yielded 42 goals in losing six and tying two of their eight previous games, blanked the Flyers, 3-0, in Philadelphia as Dave Dryden starred with 48 stops.

And Ted Hampson brought Oakland Seals a 4-4 tie with Pittsburgh Penguins by scoring with a booming shot 90 seconds from time.

## Naimark Within Win Of B.C. Mixed Final

**CAMPBELL RIVER** — Barry Naimark of the Vancouver Curling Club, bailed in the men's playdowns, Saturday moved within one victory of reaching the B.C. mixed final.

Winning three games Saturday to go with an opening victory on Friday night, Naimark's rink (Bobbie Wallace, Terry Paulson, Dell-Jean Miller) won the "A" side of the eight-rink, double knockout Pacific Coast Curling Association playoff and reached the final in the "B" side.

Naimark meets Ozzie Isfeld of North Shore (Kay Wilson, Herb Wilson, Shirley Isfeld) in the "B" final at 9:30 this morning. If Isfeld wins, the deciding game will be played starting at 2:30 p.m.

The POCA champion will meet the winner of the B.C. Curling Association playoffs in a best-of-three series here Tuesday for the right to represent B.C. in the Canadian final.

Naimark, who started his march Friday by defeating Bill

Bennett of Ladner, continued by scoring a 6-5 decision over Isfeld in the "A" semi, then defeated Jim Marasco of Port Alberni in the "A" final before eliminating Harry Whitman of Nanaimo, 11-3, in the "B" semi.

**MINOR TROUBLES ONLY**

Naimark, who won from Isfeld when he came around a long guard to take out a partially-hidden rock in the four-foot ring, curled exceptionally well until his game against Whitman.

There, he had some talent troubles but never quite lost an early lead.

Isfeld, who bested Bus Trinder of Haney on Friday, eliminated Vern Thompson of Nanaimo and Marasco to reach the "B" final.

Whitman, who lost to Thompson Friday night, eliminated Chuck Perry of Courtenay and Bennett before losing to Naimark. The 8-6 win over Bennett came when the Ladner skip, one down coming home, failed in a try for a raise and roll. He got the raise but a measure showed he missed by a half inch in cutting out an opposing rock with about half the 12-foot ring.

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**PA EVENT**  
Whitman ..... 001 002 020 2-1  
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**JIM TANG**

**WALLY OSTAFYCHUK** and Fred Nelson have been regular competitors in the Daily Colonist's Vancouver Island bowling bonspiel but Wally O will miss for the first time this year, not having found the time to take part in a five-pin league. However, he edged out Bob Willis of Duncan by a few minutes to make the first entry in the sixth annual tenpin bonspiel. Sports Illustrated has come up with revealing statistics. Although almost all the players in the National and American Football Leagues are selected in the college draft, 50.4 per cent of them have yet to get their college degrees. Minnesota, Houston, Arizona State, Colorado and Iowa State are listed as having the greatest percentage of non-graduates in professional football. It was a bit ironic, in a way, when Negro-pro Charlie Sifford defeated South Africa's Harold Herring in a playoff in the recent Los Angeles Open golf tournament. Anyone interested in going to Mexico City for the World Cup soccer finals, June 6-21, 1970, should get in touch with Harry Christie, 1116 Hamilton Street, in New Westminster. He's already arranging charter flights and the approximate cost for return air fare from Vancouver, hotel accommodation and tickets is \$350. Cleveland Browns of the National Football League claimed Jiggs Smailes in the recent college draft but it's understood that the promising lineman will remain with the B.C. Lions, who got him last season because he didn't complete his college career. Billy Casper is certainly one of the two or three best golfers in the world today but not many would put him quite on a par with Ben Hogan. But Casper earned more last year (\$205,000) in tournament play than Hogan did in his career. ... players on Russia's national hockey team went on a buying spree before returning home. Hats, shirts, ties, chocolate bars and gum were among their purchases but the most important package contained 30 Canadian hockey sticks, some of them the curved variety. They'll give the twisted blades a real trial but chances are the Russians won't be long in learning that the curved sticks are a detriment to most players.

**ON THE HOT SEAT:** Billy Reay coached Chicago Black Hawks to their first, and only National Hockey League championship in the 1966-67 season but he hasn't much in the way of job security at the moment. Unless the Hawks start winning soon, Reay will almost certainly pay the penalty for that trade which appears to have wrecked his club and made a power out of Boston Bruins. That, of course, was the exchange which gave the Hawks Gilles Marotte, Pit Martin and Jack Morris for Ken Hodge, Phil Esposito and Fred Stanfield.

Esposito had scored 23, 27 and 21 goals in his three seasons for the Hawks and was the centre for Bobby Hull when Hull set the NHL record of 54 goals in the 1968-69 season and followed with 52 in the Hawks' championship season. But Reay, apparently disenchanted when Esposito failed to get a single point in the 1967 playoffs and believing that Marotte was the coming defence star, agreed to the trade.

Hull, Toronto-columnist Jim Proudfoot writes, was flabbergasted after the trade and commented at the time that "I don't see how we can make the playoffs now."

The Hawks did make the playoffs last season, but barely, while the Bruins rose from last place to third. This season, the Bruins are looking like a championship is likely, the Hawks are floundering and Chicago morale is not the best.

In a recent game, Esposito scored a smart goal against the Hawks in Chicago and, Proudfoot says, Hull turned to Reay and said: "Well, now are you satisfied?"

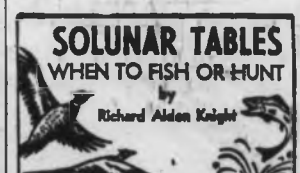
**DAVE ADLISH**, 24-year-old catcher obtained by St. Louis Cardinals in a trade with Houston Astros, is lavish with his praise. Interviewed in St. Louis, Adlish credited Harry Walker, his last manager with "some of his plate improvements." For Harry, Figures show that Adlish batted .181 in the 1967 season and "jumped" all the way to .383 last season. ... making up for youthful Jim Armstrong to skip next season is a favorite curling pastime at the moment. Latest combination is Jim with Gary Leibel, Jack Trueman and Barry Harvey. ... Indian Jack Jacobs, former Winnipeg passing star, is now busy as a scout for Minnesota Vikings. ... Sam King is out of hospital and looking chipper after his illness. ... Harold Hout, making good on a pre-playoff promise to himself, is accompanying Gordie Moore's Victoria Curling Club rink to the Canadian seniors' championship in Hamilton next week. ... everyone interested in basketball hopes that Victoria Chookos will be back next season despite their disappointing elimination in the Junior men's playoffs. They have been one of the best run, and also one of the most successful, sports organizations in the area. ... Rick Cassata, "back-up" quarterback for Saskatchewan Roughriders, was picked by Washington Senators in the recent major league draft of college baseball players. Cassata was a promising third-baseman as well as a football star at University of Syracuse. ... Don Drysdale, Bill Shoemaker, Wilt Chamberlain, Pancho Gonzales, Parnell Jones, Roman Gabriel and Deacon Jones are partners in a new private club, called Sportslamp, in Los Angeles. ... Carol Mann, leading money-winner among women professional golfers last year, average 72.4 strokes for 93 official tournament rounds. Not too many men did better than that.

## Jets Richer By \$22,007

**NEW YORK (AP)** — Each member of the winning New York Jets received a record \$7,007.91 as his share of the American Football League title game at Shea Stadium Dec. 29. Each Raider player gets \$5,819.42 as his loser's share. Couple with the \$15,000 for winning the Super Bowl game over Baltimore Colts of the National League, each Jet collects a total of \$22,007.91 for the two championship games.

## Wins Title

**MANILA (AP)** — Rene Barrientos of the Philippines gained the World Boxing Council version of the junior Lightweight boxing championship Saturday night when he scored a unanimous decision over Ruben Navarro of Los Angeles.



**SOLUNAR TABLES WHEN TO FISH OR HUNT**  
Richard Alden Knight

According to the Solunar Tables, the best times for fishing and hunting for the next 14 days will be as follows: (Times shown are Pacific Standard Time)

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Major solunar periods lasting 1 1/2 hours, dark time, minor periods, shorter in duration, light time.

## Blais, Evans Pace Cougar Victory With Three-Goal Performances

**KEVAN HULL**

Adrian Blais scored his first three-goal effort in a regular B.C. Junior Hockey League game and Grant Evans scored his fourth three-goal performance of the season Saturday in Victoria Cougars' 10-3 triumph over Kamloops Rockets.

## City Runner Sets Record

Dave Welcher of Oak Bay High School Saturday broke the Canadian junior record in the 2000 metres with a time of 8:56.8 Saturday in the high school portion of the Achilles Indoor Track and Field meet.

Ten Canadian and two British Columbia records fell during the schools' meet.

Running for the Victoria Track Club, Welcher was the only Vancouver Island competitor to set a record.

## Eight Rinks Reach Prizes

Seven rinks from the Victoria Curling Club and one entered by Sybil Magnusson of Port Alberni reached the prizes Saturday in the annual women's bonspiel at Esquimalt Municipal Centre.

Flora Martin and Dorothy Fukuyama, who meet in one semifinal, and Mrs. Magnusson and Clare Duncan are in the finals of the "A" event. In the finals of the "B" event are rinks skipped by Helen Edwards, Elin Peck, Marion Smith and Kay McDonald.

Finals in all four events are scheduled this evening.

## Twin Wins For Vikings

University of Victoria scored wins in swimming and water polo over Pacific Lutheran University of Tacoma Saturday at Crystal Garden.

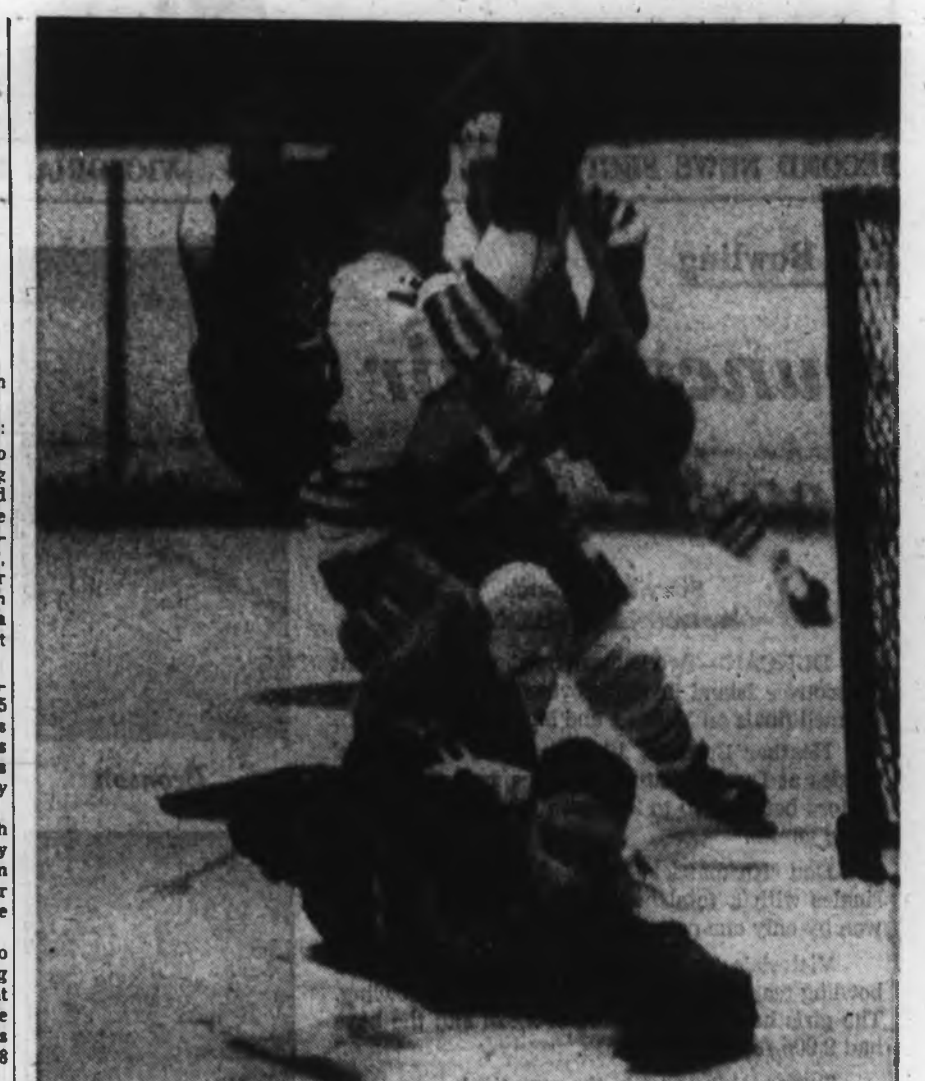
The Victoria swimmers won seven of nine events and outscored the visitors, 37-31.

In water polo, Vikings gained an 8-6 decision with Brian Pearce scoring five goals. Rick Minkler, Len Hinde and Jim McConnon added the other Victoria goals.

## Wanderers Trim Seattle

**SEATTLE (AP)** — Oak Bay Wanderers from Victoria, shut out the Seattle Rugby Club in two contests Saturday. The visitors won the varsity game, 16-0, and took the second team match, 6-0.

Daryl Moultrie, Bruce Clarke and Ken Wilke scored tries while Pat Briaden had two conversions and a penalty kick, in the varsity test. Moultrie had a try and Tommy Walton booted a penalty in the second match.



Cougars' Doug Gibson (12) failed on this chance to beat Lorne Hudson near the start of a busy evening for the Kamloops goalkeeper. Hudson managed to kick out 43 Victoria drives but 10 eluded him.—(William John photo)

Victory extended Victoria's win streak to four games during which time the Cats have scored 36 goals but wasn't enough to gain ground in their fight for first place with Penitence Broncos, who stopped visiting Vernon Vipers, 6-1, in the other game.

Results left Cougars three points behind Broncos, who are one game closer to the end of the 40-game schedule.

**WARM UP SLOWLY**

Taking the first 10 minutes to get warmed up, Cougars put on a shooting display seldom seen in Memorial Arena during the next 30 minutes to the delight of 2345 fans.

Although slightly outplayed in the opening period, Cougars came out with a 3-0 lead, yielded the first of Ken Tarnow's two goals in the first minute of the second period and then rattled seven goals behind Kamloops' goalkeeper Lorne Hudson, who finished with 43 saves.

**HARD SKATING HELPED**

Hard skating by Cougars as a team was the underlying cause of the outburst, with wingers Blais, Graham Brown, Dave Williams, Scott Munro and Bruce Cowick leading the way.

Blais, who scored four goals in a playoff game for Penitence

trend when Cougars were outplayed but did the scoring.

At Penitence, the hosts jumped off to a 3-0 lead in the first period before 400 fans, outshooting the visitors 45-24, overall.

Ed Hays, with two goals, Norm Jackson, Pat Laughton, Tom Gawryletz and Robin Ayer scored for Broncos. Wayne Dye replied for Essos, who play hosts to Broncos today.

## First United Club Wins B.C. Title

First United won the British Columbia junior women's basketball championship, taking the two-game total-point series, 69-66, despite a 30-31 loss to University of British Columbia Jays Saturday at S. J. Wilkes Junior High.

The Victoria team, which had to come from behind a total-points deficit, were led for the second night by Anne McKeachie, who sank the last four points for First United. Miss McKeachie, who also scored her team's last six points in Friday's 38-35 win, topped First United scorers with 16 points in the final game.

In a presentation ceremony following the game, Dierdre Ogden of the First United team was named the championship's most valuable player while her teammate Pam Marknet and University of Victoria's Lyn Carlson shared the most improved junior player award for the league.

First United will meet the Alberta junior champions in a best-of-three series for the Western Canada championship starting March 1 at a place to be named later. The winner of the Western Canada series will be one of the finalists in the national championship.

## Buckaroos Beaten But Retain Margin

League-leading Portland Buckaroos were edged 4-3, Saturday night by San Diego Gulls but second-place Vancouver Canucks failed to gain ground in the Western Hockey League as they absorbed a 5-0 bombing by the last-place Denver Spurs.

In a third game, Seattle Totems topped Phoenix, 4-1.

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## Mutiny Charges

# Hard Labor For Troops

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Two more of 27 soldiers accused of mutiny in the Army Presidio stockade received stiff sentences of hard labor Saturday. Four more came to trial Monday.

The court martial panel, after deliberating two hours and 20 minutes, sentenced Pvt. Louis Occeplinsky, 21, of Florida, N.Y., to 16 years of hard labor and Pvt. Larry Reidel, 20, Medford, Ore., to 14 years.

The sentencing of Occeplinsky and Reidel, found guilty Friday, brings to three the number of defendants, given long terms of hard labor.

Pvt. Neasey Sood, 26, Oak-

land, received a 15-year sentence on Thursday.

The mutiny charges against the 27 soldiers stem from a mass showdown Oct. 14, when the defendants refused to report to work details.

The action was to protect the

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## Youth Break

Time out for wintry fun is enjoyed by delegates from western provinces to recent All-Canada Youth Council semi-annual meeting at Quebec Winter Carnival. From left are Brian

Sampson and Hugh Tadman, Edmonton; Marilla Nevo and Ian Mackay, Vancouver; Joan Taaffe, Victoria, and Stuart Aikins, Calgary.—(W. B. Edwards)

## Kennedy Assassination Review

# Tall Texan Saw Smoke

puff of smoke, muddy footprints and a housewife's reaction to gunfire were added Saturday to District Attorney Jim Garrison's case against Clay Shaw, charged with conspiring to assassinate President John Kennedy.

These items are part of Garrison's evidence that Kennedy died in a conspiratorial cross-fire and not at the hands of Lee

Harvey Oswald alone as the Warren Commission said.

Shaw, 55, is being tried on a charge that he conspired in 1963 with Oswald and David Ferrie, both now dead, to kill Kennedy.

## HOME MOVIE

Prosecution evidence in the trial's fourth week included a home movie of the slaying which the jury has seen seven times in two days and testimony about Kennedy falling backward when shot, about two men with a gun and an Oswald accomplice in fleeing the scene.

The trial adjourned before noon Saturday when the state ran out of witnesses. Former Texas Gov. John Connally and his wife are scheduled to testify Monday. Connally was wounded by the gunfire that killed Kennedy on Nov. 22, 1963, in Dallas' Dealey Plaza.



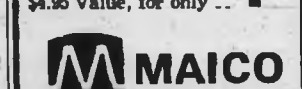
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## Oil-Soaked Kelp Appears

SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP)—Oil-soaked kelp washed up on beaches Saturday, but there was no large accumulation of new goo from oil sand permeated by a well blowout two weeks ago.

The dirty kelp was blown ashore from the Pacific by south-southeasterly wind. Cleanup crews raked it up and piled it above the high tide line to be hauled away later.

The Santa Barbara harbor was closed indefinitely. Harbor officials said help concentrated heavily against protective booms at the mouth of the inlet.

FAUSE DIFFERENT Mrs. Newman, in contrast to other witnesses, said she thought the first two shots were close together, followed by a third after a pause. Others thought the second two were closer together.

Both Mrs. Newman and Simmons gave statements to authorities after the slaying.

CARDS ADD UP The United States post office department says the cost of mailing post cards alone last year amounted to \$93,000,000 in the United States.

DEIVERS REPORT "Our divers Thursday afternoon reported there is about five to 10 gallons of oil an hour seeping up from the shallow sand beds, and a little natural gas," said a spokesman for Union Oil Co.

The seepage rate has remained constant since then, the spokesman said. Union Oil is an operator of the well. "We don't know how long the seepage will continue," the spokesman added.

A congressman said advice from scientists including those being sent by President Nixon will largely decide whether to ban drilling in the area.

The knoll is on the same side of the street but a short distance west of the Texas School Book Depository from which, the Warren Commission said, Oswald fired the fatal shots.

CHILDREN HIDDEN Another witness, Mrs. W. E. Newman of Dallas, a pretty brunette housewife, said she was standing with her husband and

children below the knoll and saw the fatal shot from a distance of about one traffic lane.

Q: And what did you do? A: We each had a child and we fell to the ground on top of

them because we thought we were in a crossfire—She was stopped by a defence objection to what she "thought."

Q: And where did the noise you heard sound to you like it was coming from? A: It sounded like it was coming from directly behind us.

TWO CONFLICTS Chief defense attorney F. Irvin Dymond on cross-examination brought out two apparent conflicts between Mrs. Newman's testimony and that of several other witnesses concerning Kennedy's reaction to the head shot.

Others told of a bloody spray flying backward or to the left. Mrs. Newman said: "As best I can remember, it flew straight up."

Garrison's team of prosecutors is trying to prove Kennedy was shot fatally from the front, and in addition to witnesses, has repeatedly run the Abraham Zapruder film of the assassination.

An FBI expert, called by Garrison, testified Friday the direction of the explosion was forward and that Kennedy was shot from behind. Three navy doctors who performed an autopsy said in their report: "The fatal missile entered the skull above and to the right of the external occipital protuberance (Back of the head)."

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# Send Me Bread Hostage Cries

BORDEAUX, France (AP)—From a barricaded farm house where his father has been detaining him for 15 days, 21-year-old Francis Fourquet Saturday called out to reporters: "Send me some bread please. I'm hungry."

Police officials, who watched the farm house from a distance said they believed the boy was told by his father to appeal for food. Police had just left three bottles of milk, cookies and other food in a lane near the farm. The boy had left the house to pick them up while his father, Andre Fourquet, 38, watched with a rifle in his hands.

The father barricaded himself with his three children to protest a judge's decision to leave them in custody of Fourquet's estranged wife. An older daughter escaped several days ago. Francis and Aline, 13, remained.

Charges are being prepared against Fourquet in the killing of a gendarme with a rifle during the siege.

Fourquet was supposed to make up his mind Saturday on whether to surrender. Instead, he shouted to the crowd around his farm that he would not let the children free as long as his wife does not come to see him.

He was reported to be refusing to come near the farm house for fear he would kill her.

Police and lawyers told Fourquet his boy and girl would be placed in a private institution, but this decision did not appease him.

When a police officer entered the lane toward the farm early in the morning, he saw Fourquet pointing his rifle at him. Fourquet shouted: "I did not ask you to come."

An attempt to free the children was made later in the day by a woman member of the social welfare services. She was turned back.

Police had to increase the watch around the farmhouse to prevent volunteers from trying to free the children.

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## Restaurants Raided By Thieves

The second restaurant burglary in two days netted a thief an estimated \$13 in money and cigarettes early Saturday when he broke into Cherb's Cafe, 1020 Blanshard.

The night before someone broke into the Lakehill Lunch, 3945-A Quadra, in Saanich, and stole approximately \$100 after ransacking the kitchen. Entry was gained through a rear window.

# Major Counterfeit Ring Broken in Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES (UPI) — Police here cracked a \$1,000,000 counterfeit ring Saturday, arresting three men and a woman.

Police said the ring photographed and printed bogus \$10, \$20, and \$100 bills and sold them for \$15 per \$100. The counterfeit bills apparently were distributed throughout the nation,

although 90 per cent of the operation apparently centred on the west coast.

Secret Service agents said more arrests were imminent. Two of the suspects were picked up in south central Los Angeles after police received a tip one of them had sold the other \$50,000 worth of bogus bills. Most of the money was found on the men, and nearly \$1,000,000 and a quantity of

narcotics was found in a nearby apartment, where the other two suspects were arrested.

Printing presses and plates used to produce the bills were not found.

**ONE NOT NAMED**

Charged with forgery were Lynnwood Anthony Johnson, 34, Elizabeth Moore, 38, and her husband, Eddie Moore, alias Jesse Watkins, 40, all of Los Angeles. The fourth suspect was not identified.

Sgt. Rod Bock of the Los Angeles police department said the arrests culminated months of investigation by federal and local agencies.

According to Guy Spaman, head of the Secret Service counterfeit division here, the bills had been passed in restaurants, gasoline stations and supermarkets throughout Southern California, Arizona and Nevada for several months, and some were scattered into the Midwest.

**JUST AVERAGE**

Spaman said the bills were of just average workmanship. They photographed bills then made a plate and printed from the plate. The quality of workmanship is just fair.

In Washington, Secret Service spokesmen said the seizure was part of an investigation begun last fall which already had resulted in several previous arrests and confiscation of \$360,000 in bogus bills.

Agents in Columbus, Ohio, denied the Los Angeles seizure was connected with a counterfeit ring broken up in the Ohio city 11 days ago, when agents arrested three persons and confiscated \$1,500,000 in counterfeit bills.

**ONE AGENT**

It was at first believed there might have been a link because two of the suspects gave west coast addresses.

There were Lawrence Whitt, 28, of Oakland, Calif., and Bobby Fulton of San Francisco, who were arrested along with Jack Whitt, 45, of Columbus. Later it was disclosed that Fulton was an undercover agent for the Secret Service.

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## For Pueblo Understanding

# Court Tours Sister Ship

NORFOLK, Va. (AP)—Cmdr. Lloyd Bucher's civilian attorney said a Navy court of inquiry's two-hour tour of another intelligence ship Saturday gave its members "an appreciation of the situation on the Pueblo" at the time of her capture by North Korean forces.

The visit to the USS Palm Beach—it was the first time any of the court's five admirals had been aboard an intelligence ship—was "educational and instructive," E. Miles Harvey told reporters.

**MORE KNOWLEDGE**

"It adds to the court's storehouse of knowledge in evaluating testimony," he said.

Harvey, who accompanied the court members on the ship tour, asserted, "You can see where they (the Pueblo's crew) de-

stroyed publications, where the Korean guard stood. . . You could understand the difficulty in going topside. . . the exposure of the gunmounts.

"We had thought the Pueblo's research spaces were larger than they turned out to be. We know now how crowded the Pueblo was. . . adding to the confusion."

**'SYMPATHETIC'**

His tour of the Palm Beach, Harvey said, made him "more sympathetic with the problems Cmdr. Bucher (the Pueblo's skipper) was faced with."

Recalling Bucher's testimony that he had picked up the wrong telephone prior to the Pueblo's capture by the North Koreans, Harvey said: "Today aboard the ship, you can see how easy this was to do with two identical

phones side by side in a crowded space."

Harvey summed up the tour of the Palm Beach this way: "This was one of the most beneficial days we've spent."

**ONE IN JAPAN**

Three ships, the Pueblo, the Palm Beach and the USS Banner, are the only intelligence ships in their class. The Pueblo and Banner are nearly identical, but there are substantial differences between these two and the Palm Beach.

The Banner is berthed in Japan, and the court members did not want to travel as far as Japan to inspect her.

The Pueblo and Palm Beach both were converted into intelligence ships at the same time in the Navy shipyards at Bremerton, Wash.

**BACK TO COAST**

Members of the court, who flew to Norfolk from California Friday, departed on their return flight shortly before noon.

On Monday the court will begin its fifth week of hearings. Court sessions are expected to last about three more weeks, said Capt. Vincent Thomas, the court's public affairs counsel.

## 'Donor Not Dead'

# Murder Claimed In Transplant

TOKYO (AP) — A Chinese within a month, after hearing herb doctor and five other persons filed a complaint Saturday Dr. Wada and medical experts, the accusing Dr. Juro Wada of heart of Yoshimasa Yamaguchi, homicide in Japan's first heart transplant operation, new-

spapers reported.

The reports said the six complained to the public prosecutor at Sapporo, on Japan's northernmost island, that Dr. Wada had performed a heart transplant without cure the patient's illness and removed the donor's heart before he was officially pronounced dead.

Japanese news reports said plant. The doctor also received the prosecutor's office was ex-

consent from the parents of the pected to decide on the case heart donor.

**Famous Band  
Hit by Fire**

DOUBLIN (AP) — Flames whipped through the home of Ireland's famed Artane Boys' Band, melting 200 instruments and burning the band's collection of sheet music.

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Wednesday, 9:30 a.m. — Oil painting, pottery, woodwork, sewing, knitting and quilting; 1:30 a.m. — hot meal; 1:30 p.m. — singing and concert.

Thursday, 9:30 a.m. — Ballroom dancing; 10:30 a.m. — oldtime dance orchestra practice; 1:30 p.m. — Conversational French, stamp club and chess for beginners.

Friday, 9:30 a.m. — Woodworking, dressmaking; 1:30 p.m. — Jacko and cards.

Wednesday, 10 a.m. — Dance class; 12 noon — potluck lunch; 1:30 p.m. — films, liquid embroidery, copper class.

Thursday, 1:30 p.m. — Concert.

Friday, 10 a.m. — Quilting class; 2 p.m. — dance.

**SIDNEY**

Monday, 2 p.m. — Music and dancing.

Tuesday, 11 a.m. — Ceramics, knitting and novelty making; 12 noon — Conversational French; 1 p.m. — oil painting.

Wednesday, 2 p.m. — Slides of Australia.

Thursday, 1:30 p.m. — Bridge, cards and games.

Friday, 2 p.m. — Jacko.

**ESQUIMALT**

Monday, 12:45 p.m. — Oil painting; 1:30 p.m. — bowlers.

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